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'I DID IT THOMAS' SHERIFF QUOTES COLLETT

Meandering Along the *Main Stem*

By WASH FAYETTE

Are you one of those who complains about wartime inconveniences and calls them sacrifices?

If you are I dare you to keep on reading . . . and if you do, you will have one of two, maybe both, reactions . . . you will either be very ashamed . . . or you will face your small part in this war with more willingness.

Are you one of those who is bearing down without complaint?

If you are, you will hold your head high . . . and be very proud of the boys who know what sacrifice really means.

Without comment . . . and with best wishes . . . I now give you a story sent me by one of my friends in the service . . . here it is:

Three minutes of your time, please—just three minutes.

I want to tell you the story of a 19-year-old sailor, wounded at sea, who wants to do a very human thing—lay his head on his Momie's breast and have a good cry.

It involves a little thing we know as freedom of speech. Coxswain Robert F. Evans eminently qualifies to exercise that right of democracy. He bled for it.

Bobby Evans once belonged to the 131st Field Artillery, the famed lost battalion of Java. Ten months he spent in training. But he was left behind when the outfit went overseas. He was honorably discharged when they learned he was barely 17.

Two days after Pearl Harbor, Bobby joined the Navy. The other day, after twenty months of combat, he landed on the West Coast. Bobby is a wounded veteran at 19 and he has been doing some thinking. He wrote a letter to his mother and dad from San Francisco.

It is a study in war, this letter. Remember, he is 19, war weary and unburdening everything to his "mother and dad."

". . . I can't write a cheerful letter. I am so disappointed in this country I could cry. For twenty months out there in the islands I've prayed and fought and bled, waiting for this day to come. Now that it's here, I'll be glad to get back out there among human beings again.

"I don't know why we are going through all that out there for what I've found back here. Strikes, gripes and complaints is all you can find. Good God, what have they to complain about back here?

"Have they ever tried to tell their best friend that everything is all right' when his guts were falling out on a ship deck from a bomb fragment hit; or have they huddled in a foxhole all night in the rain wondering if that next one is yours?

"Don't get me wrong. I'm no hero. I've done only the things I've had to. I'm not complaining about them. There are a lot of men out there who have done, and are doing, more than I ever have—such as the men on Tarawa. I didn't get in on that show. We were busy enough at Bougainville right then.

"Maybe I'm unpatriotic, call it what you like, but sometimes I get to the point where I don't care whether we win or lose this damn terrible thing. I'll almost be ashamed to live among some of these people when it is over. Some of them call us suckers for going out there. For my part, those 'suckers' are the best people in this fouled-up world. . . ."

Bitter generalities? Bobby writes on:

"The other night in Frisco, Matt and I were in a bar bailing in a couple to quiet our nerves when some war workers in the next booth starting shooting off their mouths about how they hoped to hell this war would last a lot longer. 'I'm making more money and doing less work than I ever have in my life,' one of them said.

"I hope that wherever they are, the men and kids that have been killed on my ship and that 'rock' we lived on, saw us do our best for them. When we got through with them, the shore patrol would have thrown us in the brig if they had been around.

"Mom, after that I wanted to lay my head on your breast and cry just like I used to when one of my pups got run over. I wanted you to stroke my face and tell me how everything would turn out for the best. I've wanted to do that hundreds of times out there—when

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Beachhead Attack Beaten Back

American Bombers Return To Assault German War Industry; Stuttgart Smashed by British; Russians Drive Into Estonia While Fighting Rages in Pskov

By RICHARD McMURRAY
(By the Associated Press)

Americans in the Rome bridgehead drove three German divisions back 1,000 yards and still were advancing today after beating down a violent attempt to split the pocket between Cisterna and Carroceto in the third Nazi offensive to drive the Fifth army into the sea.

The German communique said "fluctuating fighting developed yesterday south and southwest of Cisterna. The enemy succeeded at several points in breaking into our advanced positions gained on previous days."

Flying Fortresses and Liberators of the U. S. Air Force swarmed into southwest Germany today after 600 British bombers battered Stuttgart by night with 1680 to 1900 tons of bombs in what the Germans called a "terror attack."

British bombers hit Stuttgart in "very strong force" and Munich. The Russians threw semi-encirclements around the northern cities of Narva, Pskov and Viterbsk for imminent kills. Finnish newspapers attacked Russian peace terms. Bulgaria and Hungary reacted to the impending negotiations, looking for ways out of the war. Ankara heard British and American supplies to Turkey had halted. Argentina was in uneasy calm after an abortive revolt.

Nazi Drive Stopped

The Germans opened their third drive against the Rome beachhead before dawn Tuesday after the heaviest artillery barrage they have yet laid. The Allies replied in kind, and their cannon tore gaps in enemy ranks. Momentum of the German attack carried about 1,500 yards into Allied positions southwest of Cisterna apparently, but the Americans gained back two-thirds of this ground.

More than 500 Germans were captured and heavy casualties inflicted. The German attack yesterday had lost some of its early vigor and when night descended, the situation was well in hand, Associated Press war correspondent, Edward Kennedy radioed from the beachhead.

Col. Gen. Eberhard von Mackensen had hurled between 30,000 and 45,000 men with Mark IV and Tiger tanks at a narrow sector and once again his aristocratic Prussian nose had been bloodied. The battle was fought in rain and hail and was the heaviest in the beach campaign. The weather limtied Allied planes to 170 flights and grounded the Germans.

Only patrol action was reported on the Fifth army front around Cassino and on the Eighth Army sector near the Adriatic. Across the Adriatic, Tito's Yugoslav partisans drove German troops from Glina, and captured an airdrome at Sinj, a communique said.

German Factory Hit

Only four British mombers were lost in the battle against Stuttgart, aircraft center in southwest Germany last night.

"A very strong force of aircraft of the bomber command attacked Stuttgart last night," the British Air Ministry said, "large fires were left burning. Mosquitos attacked Munich and objectives in France and the low countries."

U. S. Flying Fortresses and Liberators in strong force smashed at southwest Germany today hard on the heels of a 600-bomber assault by the RAF last night upon the important war center of Stuttgart.

The American target was not announced immediately, but the direction of the attack suggested a U. S.-RAF double night-and-day punch at the Stuttgart section like the ones highlighting last week's powerful aerial drive.

The Russians announced at mid-

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GERMANS BOMBED

NAPLES, March 2—(AP)—American heavy bombers today attacked German troop concentrations in the Anzio beachhead.

Here's Jury For Trial

A jury of nine men and three women was selected Wednesday for the trial of James W. Collett, charged with murdering Elmer McCoy, his wife and daughter. They are: Front row, left to right—Fred H. Coffman, farmer; Ellsworth Vannorsdall, farmer; C. A. Dunton, wool buyer; R. O. Horney, grocer; John W. Chase, retired farmer, and Mrs. Carol Pumphrey, housewife. Back row, left to right: Mrs. Edith Forsythe, school teacher, housewife; Mrs. Mary Pond, housewife; M. L. Lyons, garage owner; Frank Rothrock, farmer; Charles U. Armstrong, insurance and real estate agent, and Howard Bingman, insurance agent. D. E. Mulvihill, a farmer, not pictured here, was chosen as an alternate juror.

Jap Aircraft Carrier Is Torpedoed by Sub

American Landing Force on Admiralty Island in Bismarck Sea Beats Back First Nip Major Counter Attack and Yanks Expect To Put Seized Airfield To Full Use in Tightening Squeeze on Enemy's Pacific Bases

By RICHARD C. BERGHOLZ
(By the Associated Press)

Five submarine chasers shepherding a 7,000-ton Japanese aircraft carrier through Malacca Strait couldn't prevent a British submarine from sending torpedoes crashing into the flattop's hull and probably sinking her, the British Admiralty announced today.

A Royal Navy submarine first sighted the carrier, escorted by five submarine chasers, in the northern approaches to Malacca Strait, and fired a salvo of torpedoes. No hits were observed, and the sub chasers drove the submarine off temporarily.

The British ship returned to the attack, scoring a hit and stopping the flattop.

"A further torpedo which struck the enemy amidships caused a violent explosion. The ship heeled over and is believed to have sunk," the communique said.

It is through Malacca Strait, which separates Malaya from the island of Sumatra, that most supplies to Japan's army in Burma must pass.

The Admiralty said other submarines scored torpedo hits on a Japanese cruiser in the same area, but not in the same action, and sank a medium-sized supply ship. A smaller supply ship was shelled into submission.

Island Attack Repulsed

In the Southwest Pacific, Allied headquarters confidently predicted quickly-captured Momote airdrome on the invaded Admiralty Islands "will shortly be in full use by our air force," and said the enemy's first major counterattack against the American beachhead had been repulsed.

(The Tokyo radio claimed today in a broadcast to China that an "enemy attempt to land on the Admiralty Islands was repulsed by the Japanese defenders," and

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Big, Brawling Yanks Sing As Attack Japs

By OLEN CLEMENTS

THE ADMIRALTY ISLANDS, Feb. 29—(Delayed)—(AP)—Big, brawling cavalrymen, trained on the rough and tumble Texas border, stormed ashore on Los Negros Island in the Admiralty group at 8:15 A.M. today and one hour and a half later had captured Momote airfield.

Their brilliant move was accomplished with negligible loss. Known Japanese casualties in the first few hours were 73 dead.

The dismounted cavalrymen, components of the first cavalry division, went ashore in small boats that weathered intense fire from Japanese shore guns. The first wave made it without a scratch, but the second and third waves were caught in heavy fire. One of them had to turn back momentarily but finally reached the island after a navy gunner had been killed.

The smooth landing caught the Japanese by surprise. Our convoy, all warships, showed up off the islands at dawn. The sky was overcast.

The warships spread out along the beach and began pouring heavy shells into Japanese positions.

Japanese shore guns replied. Shells churned the water. One salvo came dangerously close to our destroyer, flagship of the task force.

Forty minutes after the naval shelling began it ended with the suddenness with which it began. Smoke poured from half a dozen places on Los Negros Island.

Then the fast little assault boats put out from the destroyers which carried troops. The first wave rendezvoused about 150 yards from shore and then sped toward the beach. Destroyers rode up close to shore, their big guns menacing anything the Japanese might care to offer. Nothing happened.

The small number of cavalrymen in the assault boats piled out on the beach and began to spray the tops of cocoanut trees with their rapid-fire guns to clear out snipers.

The empty assault boats pulled off for a second load. Army Mitchell bombers came in low to strafe and drop bombs.

The second wave started in. The men were laughing and joking. Almost four years they had been training for this moment and here it was, not so bad after all.

One of them pulled out a harmonica and played a boogie-woogie tune. Someone said something about their last words and Capt. Phil North of Fort Worth, Texas, said, "My last words probably will be: 'Quick somebody get a doctor; I've been hit'."

A few minutes later the navy gunner in North's boat was decapitated by a shell from shore. The coxswain turned the boat around and went back to the ship, unloaded the body, picked up another gunner and dashed to the beach.

BACKED BY BOMBERS

AN ADVANCED BASE, New Guinea, Feb. 29—(Delayed)—(AP)—"The weather was terrible," declared 25-year-old Lt. Richard Reinbold of (Linville Road) Newark, O., describing the capture of an airdrome on Los Negros Island in the Admiralty group today.

"But while it was bad for us," the Ohioan added, "it probably was best in the long run because it served as a complete cover for the warships."

Reinbold described the successful invasion:

"A 70-mile front, it appeared like a black line, stretched out away from Los Negros and rising as high as 15,000 feet and drop-

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BODY IS FOUND BURIED IN CHURCH

Capital Police Confronted by Bizarre Mystery

WASHINGTON, March 2—(AP)—A basement pit in the library of the magnificant Washington Cathedral yielded the bludgeoned an scantily clothed body of a young woman librarian today, confronting police with a bizarre mystery.

The body of Miss Catherine Cooper Reardon, 37, clothed only in a slip, was found by coworkers in a steam-pipe pit. She had been missing since late yesterday when she told her mother she was "going out for a while."

Within three hours after the body was found, police arrested two men for questioning.

Two library employes—Miss Helen A. Young, archivist, and John Bayless, curator—discovered the body after noting Miss Reardon's hat, coat, pocketbook and gloves on a chair when they arrived for work.

RATIONING OF SHOES WON'T BE CHANGED

WASHINGTON, March 2—(AP)—The Office of Price Administration, saying it expects to continue shoe rationing at the rate of two pairs a year today linked announcement that a new shoe stamp will become valid May 1 with notice that stamp number 18 in ration Book 1 will expire April 30.

Airplane stamp number 1 in Ration Book 3, valid currently with stamp 18, will overlap the new stamp and continue to be good indefinitely. **The new stamp will be good for one pair of shoes. Its book number will be designated later.**

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'Missing' Soldier Returns To Find Wife Married

INDIANAPOLIS, March 2—(AP)—A mistake in reports on two army sergeants of the same name resulted in a marital tangle here, but it apparently has been unraveled.

Judge Judson L. Stark said the story ran about like this:

Sgt. Walter W. Barr, with 13 years service, entered foreign duty in August, 1940.

In January, 1942, the army notified Mrs. Barr her pay allotment was being discontinued as her husband had obtained a divorce, had remarried and was dead.

Mrs. Barr took in as boarders to augment her income, Robert E. Utley and his ten-year-old daughter. **In June, 1943, Utley and Mrs. Barr were married.**

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CORN SHORTAGE BECOMES ACUTE

Farmers Holding Grain To Feed Livestock, Claim

WASHINGTON, March 2—(AP)—Government food officials are searching for a painless method of pulling upwards of 75,000,000 bushels of corn off farms during the next several months to avert a possible shutdown of processing plants using the grain for food and industrial products.

With corn supplies running short of demands of livestock feeders and other users, only driblets of the grain are moving to market. Most farmers prefer to use the corn for livestock feeding than to sell it. They can make more money by converting it into livestock products than by selling at present ceiling prices.

Officials said unless some means can be found to increase the flow to market, processing plants may be forced to slow down or close altogether.

Aside from voluntary marketings by farmers, there appear to be only two ways of drawing corn off farms. One is by a process of requisitioning. The other is by changing price policies which would make it more profitable to sell corn itself. Officials said no move to requisition supplies was being considered.

By WILLIAM FERRIS

CHICAGO, March 2—(AP)—Officials of the Chicago Board of Trade would like to re-open the corn pit, which once was second only to wheat in trading activity, but their efforts are blocked by one inescapable fact: there isn't enough of the yellow grain here to permit futures transactions.

Corn was removed from the boards June 26, 1943. Prior to that all contracts had held at ceilings for many weeks. Trading was indefinitely suspended when the federal government commandeered stocks in terminal and sub-terminal markets. The corn pit itself is now used for rye trading.

The amount of corn in public

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Labor Draft Is Urged by Secy. Knox

Hardest Fighting Is Ahead, Lawmakers Told

WASHINGTON, March 2—(AP)—Navy Secretary Knox warned the nation today that "the hardest fighting in which the United States has ever engaged, measured in cost of life, lies immediately ahead of us."

Casualty lists "this long," he said—stretching his arms full length—already are pouring in for every state, adding that a direct assault on Hitler's European fortress is yet to come.

"The kind of fight the Germans are putting up in Italy is indicative of the ferocious battling that may be expected when amphibious operations—"the hardest and most dangerous kind of fighting in the world"—are carried out against the mainland, Knox declared.

He made these statements in testifying before the Senate military affairs committee in em-

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QUADRUPLETS BORN TO ENGLISH MOTHER; FATHER IS SOLDIER

HEANOR, Derbyshire, England, March 2—(AP)—The soldier-father of the Heanor quadruplets, who was present at the time of birth and helped name the babies, has rejoined his unit, unable to take a farewell look at Britain's most-discussed quartet.

The father's name was not officially disclosed, since the births have not yet been registered at City Hall. British law allows three months for registration. The mother is 23-year-old Nora Carpenter.

Nora's mother said the quadruplet's father had not been permitted to see the youngsters again before leaving because MacDonald, youngest and frailest of the four, has a cold and visitors had been prohibited.

Scandal Story Unfolded By Murder, Inc., Chief

NEW YORK, March 2—(AP)—The New York Daily News said today that Louis (Lepke) Buchalter has signed a statement telling "a tale of political intrigue so astounding its repercussions threaten to tear open the most sensational scandal since the notorious Becker case in 1912."

In a copyrighted story, the news said the condemned chieftain of Brooklyn's Murder, Inc., scheduled to die in Sing Sing Prison's electric chair tonight, has involved at least three names known throughout America.

In the statement, signed in the death house, the newspaper said, "he charged one New York political faction with seeking, through (Lepke), to fasten high crime upon

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'THEY'VE GOT ME' HE IS ALLEGED TO HAVE SAID

First Startling Testimony Comes in Argument Over Law In Triple Murder Trial

While left alone in a small room at the detective headquarters in Toledo, James W. Collett, charged with the triple murder of the Elmer McCoy family in the trial now in progress here, beat on the arm of the chair in which he was seated and cried, "They've got me—Jim, you've gone too far." Such was the testimony given from the witness stand by Sheriff W. H. Icenhower Thursday morning in the absence of the jury.

Later, in describing the search of the Collett farm for the missing guns, the sheriff quoted Collett as telling his son:

"Yes, Thomas, I killed Elmer but I don't know about the women.

"I always wanted a good home for you and Louise." (Louise is Thomas' wife.)

The sheriff was being questioned as the first witness in a hearing before Judge Rankin, with the jury excluded, in which the judge is hearing evidence to determine whether the alleged Collett confession is admissable as evidence.

Icenhower, during the questioning, testified that shortly after Collett made this statement and while he believed he was alone, he had voluntarily agreed to sign a confession that he had killed Elmer McCoy in the barn of the McCoy home on Thanksgiving eve.

The defense, on Thursday, was making a vigorous drive in questioning the sheriff to set up alleged facts that the Collett confession came under duress. Three other witnesses have been called by the defense, through whom it hopes to prove that Collett's alleged confession and other statements he made were the result of compulsion and pressure due to the manner in which Collett was treated and because he was not permitted to see any attorney, friend of relative during the time he was in custody until after he had signed the confession. The other witnesses to be called by the defense are Capt. Arthur Eggert and Lt. George Eckerman of the Toledo detective force and Justice of the Peace George Worrell, before whom Collett entered his first plea of not guilty.

The procedure in connection with this hearing before Judge Rankin is declared to be a precedent-setting action because it is the first time, court officials and attorneys here state, that an effort has been made to determine whether a confession may be admitted as evidence or referred to in statements before a jury until after the court has passed upon its validity as evidence.

Sheriff's Testimony

As soon as Sheriff Icenhower was called to the witness stand by the defense it became evident that Attorney Linton, Collett's chief counsel, expected to spare no one's feelings in seeking to prove that the alleged Collett confession was practically forced from him.

In the course of his testimony the sheriff stated that Collett had told him after the confession was signed, that he had made it and that when the sheriff replied, "Jim, you've done the right thing," Collett said that he had had a lapse of memory and did not remember about killing Mrs. McCoy or the daughter, Mildred.

He did repeat, however, some of the details to him, the sheriff said, whereby he told how he had driven into the McCoy farm yard, parked his car, saw Elmer driving his truck up to the barn, met him in the barn, had an argument over money which Collett claimed was due Mrs. Collett from McCoy, and when McCoy got mad he struck him with a fork handle, he shot him in the back, or the back of the head, he did not know just where.

The sheriff also stated that Collett had said that Elmer McCoy had reached for a gun in his (McCoy's) hip pocket, before he (Collett) shot him. When asked

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'OUR TOWN' GETS $133 FOR LIONS CANTEEN FUND

Cast and Director Are Praised By Lions for Work in Benefit Show

Netting $133.25 in all for the Lions Club canteen, the cast of the WHS production of "Our Town" and Miss Keck, director, today have the satisfaction of knowing their work pulled enough money out of Washingtonian's pockets to keep coffee and cookies pouring into the bus station here to be consumed by servicemen for three weeks.

And it was work too-long hours of learning lines, rehearsing and perfecting lighting, make-up, costuming. But the finished product turned out to be a play that will be remembered by those who saw it, for a long time--and even longer by the scholars who made it possible.

R. B. Tharp, Lions Club representative who made an appeal for contributions to the canteen fund at the Wednesday and Sunday performance, presnted a corsage of red roses and tube lillies to Miss Keck Wednesday night in appreciation of her work in producing the play.

The crowd Wednesday night, although not as large as the Sunday afternoon audience, contributed $58.10 to the fund. Sunday, the collection was $75.15.

Cast of "Our Town" is: Stage Manager, Frank Jean; Dr. Gibbs, Bill Chapman; Joe Crowell, Joe Cullen; Howie Newsome, Charles Baker; Mrs. Gibbs, Doris Brandenburg; Mrs. Webb, Bobby Lou Speaks; George Gibbs, Chester Brown; Rebecca Gibbs, June Cook; Wally Webb, George Hall; Emily Webb, Janice Murray; Mr. Webb, Dick Babb; Simon Stimson, Karl L. Kay; Mrs. Soames, Jane Campbell; Si Crowell, Johnny Boylan and Sam Craig, Dick Hagerty.

At the Lions Club meeting Tuesday night, W. L. O'Brien praised the high school for its cooperation with the club-- in presenting "Our Town" for the benefit of the canteen and for making the auditorium available for presentation of the "Lions Canteen Revue," slated for April 17.

SCANDAL STORY UNFOLDED BY MURDER, INC., CHIEF IN PRISON STATEMENT

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another and better entrenched faction."

Gov. Thomas E. Dewey's counsel has been informed of the contents of the statement, the News added.

"The News, because of the personal importance of the individuals concerned and out of respect for the high places they occupy today, will refrain from mentioning their names at this time," the story declared.

Buchalter and two of his "dollar-a-death syndicate" henchmen, Emanuel (Mendy) Weiss and Louis Capone were convicted of slaying Joseph Rosen, Brooklyn storekeeper, eight years ago.

As the hour set for his execution drew ominously near, Buchalter, 47, clung to the hope his life would be spared.

An application for a writ of habeas corpus—which might have postponed the execution—was denied in New York federal court yesterday.

The only possibilities still open are an appeal from yesterday's decision, a further effort to secure a new trial, and the hope Gov. Thomas E. Dewey will grant an 11th hour reprieve.

MISSING SOLDIER RETURNS TO FIND WIFE MARRIED BECAUSE OF MISTAKE

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A few days later, the Red Cross informed the new Mrs. Utley that Sgt. Barr was not missing and had not obtained a divorce. A second army sergeant of the same name was the missing man.

Then, a day or two later Sgt. Barr arrived here on furlough, followed by two large packages of letters written to Mrs. Barr by her husband. Postal officials said the delay was caused by a mixup.

After a conference, Utley moved from the Barr home but his daughter remained and a suit to annul the Barr-Utley marriage was filed in Judge Stark's court.

On Feb. 17, Sgt. Barr left again for foreign service, after approving the return of Utley to his home as a boarder.

Judge Stark granted the annulment and approved the arrangement whereby Utley and his daughter will live in the Barr home as boarders.

Free legal aid to servicemen and their dependents is provided by the American Bar Association when families are unable to pay for the service.

Mainly About People

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mossbarger announce the birth of a son at their home, 1018 Briar Avenue, Thursday morning.

Mrs. John Morton is recuperating at her home on Dayton Avenue after undergoing a major operation in White Cross Hospital, Columbus, some time ago.

The Weather

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

Chalmer Burns, Observer

Minimum, Wednesday	25
Temp., 9 P. M., Wednesday	27
Maximum, Wednesday	31
Precipitation, Wednesday	0
Minimum, 8 A. M., Thursday	21
Maximum this date 1943	46
Minimum this date 1943	11
Precipitation this date 1943	0

DAILY TEMPERATURE CHART

Akron, pt cloudy	25	16
Atlanta, clear	53	34
Bismarck	35	..
Buffalo, clear	22	12
Chicago, cloudy	34	29
Cincinnati, pt cloudy	35	21
Cleveland, cloudy	29	18
Columbus, pt cloudy	31	17
Dayton, cloudy	32	21
Denver, clear	60	28
Detroit, pt cloudy	29	20
Duluth, cloudy	25	22
Fort Worth, cloudy	61	49
Huntington, W. Va., clear	35	20
Indianapolis, cloudy	38	24
Kansas City, cloudy	52	44
Los Angeles, cloudy	55	48
Louisville, clear	40	27
Miami, pt cloudy	73	61
Mpls.-St. Paul, cloudy	34	32
New Orleans, clear	65	52
New York	36	..
Oklahoma City	60	..
Pittsburgh, cloudy	30	15
Toledo, cloudy	32	20
Washington, D. C., pt cloudy	37	23

WEST UNION MAN IN CHARGE HERE

Clark Rodgers No Longer With Aid Office

C. R. Holliday of West Union, is now acting manager of the Fayette County sub-division of the Division of Aid, the office of which is located in the Cherry Hotel Block, fronting on Market Street.

He has been named temporarily following the resignation of Clark Rodgers, who has been seriously ill for sometime.

It is expected that within a short time an appointment will be made from the list of Civil Service eligibles in Fayette County, filling the position held for years by Rodgers.

BIG, BRAWLING YANKS SING AS ATTACK JAPS ON ADMIRALTY ISLAND

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ping within 900 feet of the water.

"At 9:16 A.M. we broke out of the front and within minutes we could see our warships lined up in position. To the southwest were destroyers lying broadside to the shore. To the south other destroyers and little Higgins boats already had put off toward the shore. The warships were firing."

Lt. Leroy Puthoff of Middletown, O., who was one of the "Bats of Hell" bomber pilots supporting the invasion who reached the target. The "Bat Out of Hell" previously had aided invasions on Lae and Saidor, New Guinea, and Cape Gloucester.

Reinbold said the planes came in along the beach at "minimum level height," and Lt. James M. Mahaffey of Columbia, S. C., explained "minimum height means that when we see a tree we pull up."

"At this time," Reinbold said, "the Higgins boats, the first wave of them, were in about the center of the harbor and we went in for a second pass, shooting everything we had and dropping 500-pound bombs. If there were any Japs down there they were too busy to worry about the landing boats coming in.

"Then we went in for the third strike and the landing boats were only about 100 yards off the beach. We could see them and the men waved to us as we went past keeping our tuns hot for the entire length of the target. We also could see other boats putting out from the warships for the second wave.

"The Higgins boats had a tough job going through the narrow passage into the harbor and they were going single file when we saw them.

"We covered the target thoroughly and when we left the beach was pretty well covered with craters from bombs and shells from the naval bombardment."

ATTACK ON BEACHHEAD BEATEN BACK—BOMBERS SMASH GERMANY AGAIN

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night they had secured a 22-mile bridgehead, nine miles deep across the Narova River to the narrow land bridge of northern Estonia between Lake Peipus and the Gulf of Finland. A rail town nine miles west of ancient Narva was captured, virtually isolating the German garrison in that by-passed city of 25,000. The Russians were at least 15 miles inside Estonia astride the railway leading to Reval (Tallinn) the capital, 120 miles west of Narva.

Other Russians fought in the suburban streets of Pskov, capturing 70 nearby villages and cutting the railway south of Polotsk. Others captured Seluty, six miles south of the White Russian base of Vitebsk, and Skuleviehi, nine miles east. The Germans announced prematurely last week Viterbsk had been evacuated.

The swift Russian advances in the north accented the hopeless situation of isolated Finland. Despite hostile press comment, the fact the Helsinki government had published Russian peace terms was significant.

'YES, I DID IT THOMAS' SHERIFF QUOTES COLLETT IN AN ARGUMENT ON LAW

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what kind of a gun it was Collett replied "a 32 Colt automatic," the sheriff said.

Sheriff Icenhower had been on the stand for nearly half an hour under rapid fire questioning by Linton before he seemed at ease and began to relate in detail the things that Collett had said and done while he was being questioned and held in custody in Toledo by the sheriff and Detectives Eggert and Eckerman.

Previous to that time Attorney Linton had been bearing down heavily in his questioning of the sheriff to get him to relate all that he remembered happening and what was said to and by Collett during the time he was in custody. When the sheriff seemed hesitant and said he could not recall all these details, Linton sarcastically asked him, "Is that all you can remember during those many hours you had this man in your charge from the time you started with him to Toledo and during the eight or nine hours he was being questioned there?"

Icenhower protested that he could not remember everything that was said and done, because part of the time Collett was in a room being questioned by detectives while he (Icenhower) had left the building for an hour. Judge Rankin instructed the sheriff several times that he should tell what he remembered or say that he could not remember.

Linton directed many of his questions in an effort to show that Collett had not been given anything to eat during the greater part of the day while he was in Toledo and that he was not where he could use any toilet facilities. The sheriff stated, however, in his testimony that Collett had been allowed toilet facilities any time he asked for them, and had been taken a meal about 8 or 9 o'clock on the evening he confessed.

Lie Detector Tests

Collett was submitted to lie detector tests by Toledo detectives, Icenhower testified, and, with the instrument on his arm, the farmer was asked by Lt. George Eckerman, head of the Toledo crime laboratory:

"Do you know who killed McCoy?"

There was no answer, Icenhower said, and the question was repeated. This time, the sheriff added, Collett said "No."

"Eckerman said, 'Jim, you're lying to me,'" Icenhower said.

Then, the testimony continued, all officers left the little room, leaving Collett alone. They were able to see him, however, and hear anything the man might say. Then, the sheriff said, "Collett beat on the arm of his chair and said, 'They've got me. I'm gone.' Then he beat on the arm again and said, 'G——D——, Jim, you went too far.'"

Eckerman then returned to the room, Icenhower testified, and Collett "told them he was ready to confess."

Eckerman came out of the room, Icenhower continued, and said Collett wanted to talk to the sheriff.

"Jim told me he was going to confess," Icenhower said, "and I said, 'You'll probably sleep better tonight.' Collett replied, 'It hasn't bothered me much. If I had a lapse of memory and killed the women, I'm sorry.'"

Icenhower related then to the court a summary of the statement. It was taken by a stenographer in the detective room, he said, but twice during the relating of it Collett stopped and the stenographer had to begin on a fresh sheet of paper.

James N. Linton of Columbus, Collett's chief defense counsel, asked Icenhower whether there was any discussion of a phrase in the statement saying, "It was made without any promises or threats against me."

"Didn't Jim say that isn't true? Wasn't he told that's in all of them?" Linton asked.

"No," Icenhower replied.

Icenhower disclosed for the first time details of the questioning of Collett in Washington C. H. before he was taken to Toledo. Immediately after his arrest, the sheriff said, Collett was taken to Icenhower's home for questioning about his movements the night of the triple slaying, with Prosecutor Hill present.

"Why did you question him?" Linton asked.

"Because we suspected him of the murders."

"Did you let him know that?"

"I don't know that we just exactly told him, but he must have suspected from our questions."

After morning recess, Icenhower told details he could remember about the trip back to Washington C. H. from Toledo, describing how he left Collett in the London jail. He said he told Collett "I'll leave you some place where you'll be safe."

Icenhower said he and Hill went to London about 8:30 A.M. the following day and "we took him out to his farm because he told us he would show us where the guns were."

Collett's son, Thomas was at the farm, Icenhower testified. He said he took Collett to the tool shop on his farm and said Thomas had asked his father:

"Daddy, you didn't do this, did you?"

"Yes, Thomas, I killed Elmer, but I don't know about the women."

"Well, Daddy, what in the world did you want to kill anyone for?"

"I always wanted a good home for you and Louise." (Louise is Thomas' wife).

"That's a mighty poor way to go about it," Thomas said, Icenhower testified.

"Did they make you confess to something you didn't do," he asked his father, the sheriff declared and said Collett answered:

"No, they didn't threaten me—they treated me like a gentleman."

Then, Icenhower said, Collett asked his son to get him a spade. "I'm going to take these men back and get a couple of guns I hid in the woods," Icenhower quoted Collett as saying.

Icenhower described the trip to the woods to a log. "I believe this is the place," the sheriff said Collett remarked.

Icenhower said Collett cautioned him and Hill not to get too close—"This gun might go off. I tried to take all the loads out but I might have forgotten one," the sheriff quoted Collett. Icenhower said Collett dug around two separate logs but didn't find the guns.

The sheriff hotly denied consulting a fortune teller to get a clue to the location of the guns when Defense Attorney Linton asked him if a seer had told him where to look.

"The fortune teller sent for me," he said. "That was about a week after we looked for the guns," Icenhower declared.

As Icenhower told of the trip to Justice George Worrell's court where a murder charge was filed against Collett, he quoted Collett as saying he would "like to talk to an attorney." "I said 'I think an attorney would advise you to plead not guilty and bind yourself over to the grand jury'," Icenhower said.

Linton asked if Collett had been denied an attorney. "Nobody told him he couldn't," Icenhower replied.

"An attorney would require proof—is that why you didn't call one?" Linton asked. Icenhower repeated his statement that he felt he knew what an attorney would advise.

Assistant Prosecutor Leis asked Icenhower if Collett offered to pay expenses for the trip to Toledo. "He was sitting in the front room (here Icenhower gestured toward the sheriff's residence) when we asked him if he would agree to a lie dector test. He stood up and said "'Sure. Let's go right now. I'll pay expenses'," Icenhower said.

Before getting into the heart of questioning the next witness, George Eckerman, a detective at Toledo, Linton said, "It is my purpose to show the kind of treatment this man got—that these men dealt with him as an enemy."

Eckerman, called to the witness stand, described the procedure as Collett underwent the lie detector test.

"The first question," he testified, "was, 'Is your first name James?' and he said 'Yes.' The second question was, 'Do you smoke cigars?' and he said, 'Yes,' and there still was no reaction on the machine, indicating he was telling the truth.

"'Do you know who shot the McCoys?' he was asked. There was a very definite response on this question."

Linton interrupted to ask Eckerman to state Collett's reply to the question whether he knew about the McCoy murders, and the Toledo official said Collett had replied he did not know who shot the family.

Eckerman testified he then told Collett "the indications of this (lie detector) graph are that you know something about the shooting of the McCoys."

"He looked up," Eckerman added, "and said, 'No, I don't.' This was about 3 o'clock (in the afternoon). From that time on I talked to him about the responses when he was asked that particular question. I told him when we got those kinds of reactions we knew something was wrong and for the benefit of everybody concerned he ought to straighten this out and tell us what he knew."

Eckerman said the officers and Collett then resumed a discussion about a lapse of memory which Collett had insisted surrounded the evening of the slaying. In earlier talks, Eckerman added, Collett had said he consulted a physician several times because of memory lapses.

"After this conversation he hesitated, thought a while, then said, 'I don't know how to start. What can I say about those women?'

"What happened?" Eckerman testified he asked Collett.

Meandering Along the Main Stem

By WASH FAYETTE

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our ship was hit and so many of my shipmates were killed; when they took me to the hospital on that island. Just hundreds of other times.

"How will it end, Papa? For God's sake, tell me.

"Well, that's off my chest. I hope you understand that I love the United States as much, or more, than anyone. But what's the matter here—can't they see that it's their sons and friends they are hurting?

"Your loving son, BOBBY."

LEGAL PRECEDENT SET

A precedent in criminal trial procedure in Ohio, perhaps in the whole United States, probably is being established in the Collett murder trial here.

The admissibility of a confession purportedly made by the defendant, James W. Collett, on trial for the killing of the three members of the Elmer McCoy family, was up for decision Thursday morning in a court session which Judge Harry M. Rankin said might make legal history.

Presiding Judge Rankin decided to break previous legal precedent and rule on the confession at the outset of the trial after reading a court of appeals decision in the famous Snook case.

The real precedent, established late Wednesday afternoon, was a ruling by the court that there should be a hearing, with jurors excluded before the trial proper starts, to determine whether such an alleged confession shall be admitted as evidence.

This question was raised by James N. Linton, chief defense counsel, on the opening day of the trial when he objected to any mention of the defendant's alleged confession or of any statements said to have been made by the defendant until such were ruled by the court to be admissible. At that time Linton won a point when the court upheld his contention that the confession should not be mentioned in questioning prospective jurors.

On Wednesday afternoon after the jury had returned from a visit to the McCoy farm, scene of the crime, and the session of court was about to be resumed, Judge Rankin conferred with attorneys on both sides as to the question of mentioning the reported confession in any opening statement to the jurors. This was done after the jury had been excused until Thursday morning in order that the point at issue could meantime be decided.

After more than an hour of apparent spirited private conference, Judge Rankin emerged with the following rule and stipulation:

"Counsel for the defendant have heretofore objected to any mention being made of the purported confession of the defendant, or other statements made by him between Tuesday, November 30, 1943 and Saturday, December 4, 1943, both dates inclusive, until after the court shall have on voir dire examination, out of the presence of the jury, determined the admissibility thereof, and this has reference to the opening statement of counsel for the state.

"It is stipulated and agreed that counsel for the state expects to make mention of the purported confession and other statements above referred to in the opening statement of the case, therefore, the court will now proceed, out of the presence of the jury, to take evidence to determine the admissibility of such objected-to evidence."

Both the state and the defense considered the battle over the confession a critical point in the trial and court officers said the side receiving a favorable decision would score a major victory in the case.

The confession, a center of controversy since the triple first degree murder trial opened last Monday, was announced by Prosecutor John B. Hill a week after the Thanksgiving Eve murders. He reported Collett admitted shooting to death his brother-in-law, Elmer McCoy, 59, but said Collett declared he knew nothing of the murders of McCoy's wife, Forrest, 64, and their daughter Mildred, 22.

It was indicated that the whole confession question would be thoroughly threshed out in the early Thursday morning session of court beginning at 9 o'clock. The jury was called to return at 10:30 A.M., but court officials said that it was quite possible the hearing on the admission of the confession might require the entire morning session or longer.

The defense was prepared to contend that any statements by Collett were made under duress, while the state has insisted since the confession was announced that Collett made it of his own free will.

Linton has subpoenaed four persons for questioning—Justice of the Peace G. H. Worrell, Sheriff W. H. Icenhower and two officers from the Toledo Crime Detection Bureau where the confession allegedly was made after lie detector tests—Lt. George Eckerman and Capt. Arthur Eggert.

Collett pleaded innocent to triple murder charges before Worrell and Icenhower and Prosecutor Hill took the 60-year-old hog raiser to Toledo.

During informal discussions preceding the decision to determine the admissibility of the confession at once, Judge Rankin directed the attention of attorneys for both sides to a Franklin County court of appeals ruling in the case of Dr. William Snook, who died in the Ohio Penitentiary electric chair for the slaying of Theora Hix, an Ohio State University co-ed, June 13, 1929.

Attorneys for the Ohio State veterinary professor objected to admission of Snook's second confession into evidence. The state sought to do this during the questioning of a witness some time after opening statements had been made.

The defense said it wished to submit to the trial judge the question of whether the second confession could be admitted into evidence. The court agreed to hear arguments and testimony on whether the confession was obtained voluntarily or involuntarily. Voluntary statements may be admitted into evidence under the law, while those obtained under duress or threats may not.

After the court had agreed to hear the matter, defense counsel withdrew their request, declaring they were forced to submit the matter to the jury instead of the court because prosecutor Jack Chester had quoted from the confession in his opening statement and thus had impressed on the minds of the jurors the contents of the confession.

The defense said in effect that even if the court ruled the confession was invalid, this would not help their client since the damage was done when the prosecutor discussed the confession in his opening remarks.

The court of appeals held the defense claim was "not tenable, because counsel must have known when the prosecutor entered the field of the confession (during the opening statement) and had an opportunity then to insist that the admissibility of the confession be first determined before the jury be permitted to hear it. Failing to avail themselves of this opportunity at a seasonable time, they cannot now be heard to say that they were prejudiced thereby."

The Appellate Court held in substance that the defense was wrong in its claim that it had no recourse but to submit the matter to the jury instead of the real judge because if any prejudice was done it was done in the opening statement and the defense should have objected at that time.

It added that the defense could have objected when Chester first mentioned the confession, thus making it impossible for the prosecutor to discuss the confession further until and unless the judge ruled it could be admitted into evidence.

Since the defense failed to make any objection to Chester's remarks regarding the confession in the opening statements, the court held the defense had no right to claim it was forced to submit the matter to the jury.

Judge Rankin's decision to rule on the admissibility of the confession before opening statements are made would prevent any damage to Collett in case the confession should be found invalid, court officers said. They added that it still would permit the prosecution full use of the confession if it should be found admissible into evidence.

If the fight over the confession ends in time to permit making of opening statements and calling of witnesses Thursday the state expects to begin its side of the case by questioning neighbors who found the bodies and heard shots on the McCoy farm.

Hill has termed the shootings "murder for profit." The defense indicated in an alibi statement it intended to show that Collett was not in the vicinity at the time of the shootings. While the jury was being impaneled and when it visited the scene of the murders Wednesday, Collett retained the high spirits and keen interest in the case he has shown since a few hours after the trial began.

The Army ordnance machine shop at Terre Haute, Ind., is equipped to repair anything from a motor scooter to a locomotive.

LABOR DRAFT URGED BY KNOX -- PREDICTS HARDEST FIGHT AHEAD

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phatic endorsement of the pending Austin-Wadsworth labor draft bill.

Knox told senators enactment of a national service law would provide insurance against "a slump in production that might seriously imperil our fighting in the Pacific."

In testimony before the military committee he declared that with the defeat of Germany, such a labor force control law will be needed "more than ever before."

"Last August and September," he recalled, "when the collapse of Italy raised illusions of an early victory and aggravated the normal summer job swapping, absenteeism and turnover in industry hit the highest level since the beginning of the war.

"In the light of this, try to calculate, if you will, what the effects of the defeat of Germany will be on turnover in industry in the United States. . . .

"Japan is hoping for just that sort of demoralization. Germany is reported already capitalizing upon it. We cannot take the chance."

Knox made it clear he had no complaint about last year's production in which, he said, every major schedule was met or exceeded.

CORN SHORTAGE IS ACUTE AS STOCKS ARE KEPT ON FARMS FOR LIVESTOCK

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warehouses in Chicago today is about 4,500,000 bushels. Of this total, about 1,000,000 bushels are of contract grade and are in a deliverable position. A year ago corn holdings were around 15,000,000 bushels, of which 8,000,000 bushels were of contract grade and in a deliverable position.

A factor which might prevent resumption of trading, grain men believe, is the possibility the government may build a stock pile of 52,000,000 bushels of corn.

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Collett Visits Triple Murder Farm With Jury

THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

The Finnish press today was taking a hostile view of Moscow's armistice terms, and Finns in Stockholm expressed the opinion that their country wasn't likely to accept the Red proposals, mainly because she couldn't afford to withdraw her troops from their present positions as a preliminary to further talks.

However, Helsinki presumably is sparring for position. Finland's alternative to making peace now is to invite disaster by continuing as an ally of the Hitlerites. America, giving friendly advice, has warned the Finns that they must quit or their blood will be on their own heads.

It's an anxious moment not only for harassed little Finland but for all the United Nations, since her submission undoubtedly would set in motion great events favorable to the Allied cause. As the signs read, capitulation by the Finns might impel Bulgaria also to desert the Axis. Realizing all this, you get an added significance from Marshal Stalin's statement to President Roosevelt that he believes the final defeat of Hitler is near.

Stalin's red Armies have set the Hitlerian battle line in Russia rocking until even its extreme flanks are being shaken. Those flanks are Finland in the north and Bulgaria in the south.

These small countries were seized upon as buttresses by Hitler when he attacked Russia. Indeed Bulgaria joined the Axis more than three months before the dran nach osten began, and German troops entered the country the next day.

Bulgaria long has been flirting with the idea of deserting the Naiz master, but fear has kept her in line. Observers in Washington feel that Bulgaria probably will be governed by the results of the Soviet-Finnish negotiations. If the Finns get satisfactory terms, which are calculated to safeguard them from Hitler's wrath, then Bulgaria may follow suit.

One of the greatest difficulties both Finland and Bulgaria face in such a move lies in the fact that they are occupied by Nazi troops. The crash of German hob-nailed military boots upon the pavement of Finnish and Bulgarian cities has a most ominous sound. You can't blame Helsinki and Sofia for trying to safeguard themselves against Hitlerian retaliation.

There certainly is a strong possibility that both countries would become temporary battle grounds, until the Germans were cleared out by force, or were threatened with being cut off and annihilated. It would be too much to expect Hitler to abandon these positions voluntarily.

Getting Finland out of the war and clearing that country of Germans would have an immediate and far-reaching effect. For one thing it would help to make the Baltic States untenable for the Nazis and expedite the Red advance in this territory.

It would release the Red Navy into the Baltic Sea. It would relieve the German menace which long has hung over Russia's great Arctic port of Murmansk, and permit a free flow of supplies into the Soviet from the north. It would in due course release large numbers of Red troops from the Finnish war and permit of their use elsewhere.

Bulgaria's desertion of the Axis would be to the Balkans what a lighted match would be to a keg of gun-powder. The whole peninsula probably would blow up in Hitler's face, for Rumania and Hungary couldn't long stand the strain.

And finally, I believe the defection of both Finland and Bulgaria would force Hitler to pull his eastern battle-line back to a point close to his own borders. There he would begin his final defense of Festung Europa—his inner fortress. Meantime the Western Allies might already be beating against his western wall.

ACCUSED KILLER IS INDIFFERENT TO CRIME SCENE

Three Women and Nine Men Who Will Decide Fate View Surroundings

When the jury that is to decide the fate of James W. Collett was taken to the scene of the crime, Wednesday afternoon, Collett also was taken to the McCoy farm in custody of Sheriff W. H. Icenhower, and special deputies Chalmer Burns and William Curry.

Collett looked about indifferently and, closely escorted by the two deputies, at times stood among the jurors.

A biting breeze was blowing at the time, and as Court Baliff Richard Ramsey led the jurors into the back porch and part of them had gone into the living room of the McCoy house, where the telephone wires had been cut by the killer, Collett stepped into the porch where he is alleged to have shot Mrs. McCoy to death and said to one of the deputies:

"I want to get in out of the cold air."

At the time he was standing on almost the exact spot where the blood-covered, bullet-ridden body of Mrs. McCoy had been found the morning after the murder.

Bailiff Ramsey called the jury's attention to a bullet hole in the casing of the kitchen door, and to three bullet holes in the floor of the porch.

He also asked the jury to note the surroundings, the outbuildings, the farm houses to the east and west of the McCoy premises and the location of the barn with respect to the house.

The jury walked almost over the spot where the body of Mildred McCoy, with a bullet through her head, had fallen beside her car when the assassin fired into the back of her head.

Bailiff Ramsey halted them within a few yards of the scene and faced the jurors toward the spot, which was some 10 or 12 feet from the rear gate.

Collett stood on the outskirts of the jury, and looked casually about as if he might have been a disinterested spectator instead of the man who is on trial for his life for allegedly committing three murders on the scene Thanksgiving eve.

At the barn, where Elmer McCoy had been murdered, Sheriff Icenhower took a crowbar and pried away the boards that had been nailed across the door and that had barred the public from the barn.

The jury then crowded about the open door where Ramsey called attention to various objects.

Every member of the jury inspected the interior of the barn, as they had the back porch and premises generally, with keen interest.

Collett stood near the south side of the barn and gazed about stoically. His "poker face" displayed no emotion and little interest in what was going on about him.

Judge H. M. Rankin and all members of counsel on both sides were with the jury, standing at one side most of the time.

A bevy of newspapermen and photographers were busy on the scene.

The jury spent about 30 minutes viewing the premises.

A County Children's Home school bus, driven by Supt. David Whiteside, was used to transport the jury and enroute to the farm the jury was taken by way of the Lewis road. Returning, the route westward over the McCoy or Dill road, was followed to the Hays road, then to the Prairie road, thence back into the city.

Bailiff Ramsey was instructed to point out the several sharp turns in the road and also the Charles Griffith farm home where Dewey Claytor, farm hand who discovered the bodies of the McCoy family, had gone to telephone Sheriff Icenhower Thanksgiving morning after making his shocking discovery that the McCoy family had all been slain.

According to Special Deputy Wm. Curry, who accompanied Collett about the McCoy premises, Collett, upon entering the yard of the McCoy homestead said:

"This is a harvest for newspaper men. I suppose we will have our pictures taken three or four times again."

En route to the farm, Curry quoted Collett as saying: "I'll bet if anyone had known we were coming out there would have been 40 cars there."

In the barnyard Collett was standing beside an old Franklin automobile.

Curry said he asked Collett if that was "poor old Elmer's car," and quoted Collett as replying:

"Yes," (and after thumping the side of the car with his knuckles) "he gave $3200 for it."

Jury Given Instructions

With the opening of the afternoon session when every spectator's seat was filled and others crowded all around the doors leading to the court room, state's attorney Leis made a motion that the jury be permitted to view the McCoy farm which was the scene of the crime. The defense attorneys offered no objection and Judge Rankin stated that the request would be granted. He then turned to the jury and issued the following instructions:

"Ladies and gentlemen of the jury, a request has been made for a view of the place where it is claimed certain things that will be brought out here in evidence, occurred.

"It is important that you understand the purpose of the view. The purpose is that you may more fully understand the testimony and evidence as it will be introduced here on this trial, things you will see and observe personally and in evidence.

"It is important that you may more fully understand the evidence as it is brought out here, and especially the testimony of the witnesses, which they claim took place. 'Testimony' is what you get from the witness stand. Now, you are not, at this time, to have any discussion with any one about the evidence. If you want any information as to any fact that is material to this case, you may make your request to the bailiff in whose charge you will be in this view. Do not talk to counsel or to any of the parties while you are there. Hold yourselves as much in reserve there as if you were here, and have a view of the premises so that you will have a picture of the premises as you are sitting here and listening to the testimony and argument of counsel and things of that character as it will be brought out in this trial, that is relative to the evidence. If you want to have anything pointed out there, call the attention of the bailiff to that fact and he will speak to counsel and if the material is proper the object will be pointed out to you. In other words, it is to be a rather quiet affair so far as view."

Scott's Scrap Book

JAP AIRCRAFT CARRIER IS TORPEDOED BY SUB; YANKS REPULSE ATTACK

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that "the enemy force was entirely wiped out."

(Gen. Douglas MacArthur's communique last night said the American position had been successfully consolidated, with a Japanese attack on Momote airfield on Los Negros Island "bloodily repulsed.")

The airfield, on Los Negros Island, is the larger of two in the Admiralties and the prize for which the Sixth Army forces battled when they swept ashore on the Bismarck Sea islands Tuesday morning.

In Allied hands, the Momote airdrome would serve as a springboard for new assaults against Rabaul and Kavieng, enemy strongholds in the Bismarck archipelago, as a base for air patrols to keep the Bismarck Sea clear of Japanese supply ships and as a possible Jumping-off spot for air attacks on Truk in the Carolines.

In contrast with preliminary reports that the landing met no opposition, Associated Press war correspondent Olen Clements, with the assault forces, reported Japanese shore guns blasted heavily at units of the First (dismounted) Cavalry Division and caused at least one landing craft to turn back. Clements said there is a considerable enemy force on neighboring Manus Island, but there has been no report of battle action there.

"Our losses throughout these operations have been negligible," headquarters communiqued.

Rabaul Bombed Again

The communique reported a 153-ton bombing raid on Rabaul Monday without meeting air opposition, and strikes against New Guinea coastal bases.

Other airmen, operating from Central Pacific bases, blasted the former U. S. possession Wake Island Monday for the 14th time since Pearl Harbor. Navy bombers probably destroyed six parked enemy planes.

Three enemy-held atolls in the eastern Marshalls were hit, and Nauru, west of the Marshalls.

Japanese shipping in the Pacific, already hard hit by American planes and ships, has suffered additionally from attacks by a small fleet of Dutch submarines, heroic remnants of a naval force virtually wiped out during the Japanese drive through the Dutch East Indies in 1942.

Capt. L. G. L. van der Kun, former chief of staff of the Netherlands naval forces in the Pacific, revealed in Washington Dutch submarines sank 55,000 tons of enemy shipping in 20 months off the Dutch East Indies "despite the fact we could average only two submarines in operation at one time."

Japanese forces in Burma, who van der Kun said must be supplied 90 percent by water route from Tokyo, lost the town of Makaw in the north to Chinese troops but offered stiffening resistance to other Allied forces driving down the Kaladan valley.

U. S. and RAF fliers ranged over most of Burma Monday and Tuesday, hitting communications, transport and troop concentrations.

Give More - - in Forty-four

NAZI FUGITIVE TO SPEAK HERE SUNDAY

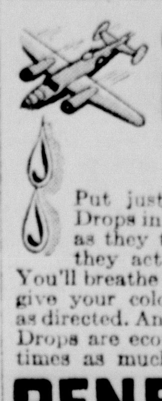
Rev. W. O. Diekman To Be at All Nations Church of Christ

A man who, Rev. L. A. Dahmer, the pastor of the church, said had had three conferences with Fuehrer Adolf Hitler and later escaped a Nazi purge, is to speak at the All Nations Church of Christ at next Sunday's evening service.

Rev. Dahmer said, Rev. W. M. Diekman of Yonkers, N. Y., had lost most of his possessions while lecturing in Germany on the Jewish question. Once, Rev. Dahmer said in describing the coming speaker's experiences, Rev. Deikman had dared a challenger to shoot when he threatened him during a lecture. But, he added, "nothing happened."

Rev. Diekman, he said, has traveled extensively in the United States as well as abroad.

The public is welcome to attend the service Sunday night, the pastor declared.



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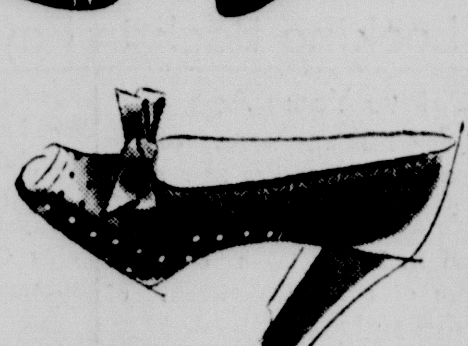

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Impending Devastation

When the day comes that Allied forces march through the rubble of what was Unter den Linden, the question in every mind will be: But where is Berlin? Goering insisted that no enemy bomb would fall on Germany, yet the extent of the devastation wrought solely from the air upon the capital is greater than that inflicted on any city in history.

The sack by land troops of populous centers of antiquity or since the Middle Ages has shown nothing comparable to what has happened to Berlin, if only for the reason that none of them was so large. 'Fifth largest city in the world, with a population of more than 4,300,000, slightly larger than that of Moscow, Berlin has suffered, according to what appear to be well authenticated reports from Switzerland, destruction so vast that the evacuation of one-half the population has been found necessary—Creating a larger force of refugees than any other city of the world has ever known.

It seems almost incredible that such damage can have been wrought from the skies in advance of the coming great land invasion. But what has happened to the capital is the sort of treatment to which all Germany's great industrial cities have been subjected.

In far-away Japan this report is one to cause consternation. Tokyo, its capital, the third largest city in the world—it is exceeded in population only by London and New York—cannot fail to realize that, since so much of the city is inflammable, an even worse fate awaits it. For Tokyo's 7,000,000, if the truth is permitted to reach them, fear must be their companion day and night.

Economy of Paper

The paper salvage quota for 1944 is going to be short by 2,000,000 tons at the present rate of collection, we are told by Gen. Brehon S. Somervell, chief of the Army Service Forces. And that is more alarming than you might think.

"Our whole war economy is built on paper," says WPB Chief Donald M. Nelson. And he doesn't mean OPA forms or the inter-office memoranda of government agencies. He is talking about the vital war uses to which paper is put—dozens of them, from plasma containers to bomb fins.

Now, the collection of the 8,000,000 tons of paper needed this year is a tremendous task. But there is no reason why all of it has to be of the waste variety. Some of it could just as well be salvaged before it is used, with a consequent saving of money, labor, time and transportation.

The government has already started to do a job of eliminating its bureaus' needless publications and releases. And it would seem that there are a few civilian items that we could bravely sacrifice, and still struggle through to victory. We might, for example, dispense with such things as—

Colored calendars, with a picture about five feet by three feet, and a calendar measuring five by three inches.

The dust jackets on books.

Double-sheet greeting cards.

Paper noisemakers.

The thick, slick-paper house organs of ritzy hotels.

Paper doilies.

And how about Congress giving us a tax law that will cut Form 1040 down to one sheet?

Flashes of Life

Maybe the Bus Had Rubber Walls

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.—Bus Driver W. L. Boucher of Nashville testified at a regional War Labor Board panel hearing that he recently carried 134 passengers on a 36-passenger bus. He drove the load to the bus-shop to have a door control fixed and counted the passengers as they boarded another vehicle.

"The mechanics said that many people couldn't get on, but they did," said Boucher.

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Really Leaf Tobacco

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—Tobacco sales supervisor Ed Johnston, Jr., of Rocky Mount, N. C., doesn't write letters home. He just scribbles, notes on burley sales tickets. The tobacco reaches his home office at Rocky Mount each day and his father, supervisor of purchases, reads the notes as he inspects each bundle of tobacco.

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Buck Private Picks Up Buck

BATON ROUGE, La.—The colonel's eagles looked slightly tarnished to Pvt. Hugh Powell of Columbus, Miss., and he bet his buddy, Pvt. Frederick Gray of Charlotte, N. C., that he would polish them.

Saluting Powell stepped up to Col. E. Y. Argo, commandant of Louisiana State University, and with a "pardon me sir," flicked first one eagle and then the other with his handkerchief.

He collected the dollar.

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Particular Mosquitoes

WASHINGTON — Sammy Gold, former Texas newspaper photographer now with the armed forces in India, writes this description of India mosquitoes: "The mosquitoes here are so big they fly down, turn our dog tags over to see what blood type we are."

Grab Bag

One-Minute Test

1. What work by Alfred Tennyson has been used to name a divorce statute?
2. In old novels what was meant by young ladies having the "vapors"?
3. What was the nationality of Maurice Maeterlinck?

Words of Wisdom

An honest man is the noblest work of God. —Pope.

Hints on Etiquette

Some people say what they think without thinking how it is going to affect the listener. They may be fine folk but for this fault. Don't allow yourself to get angry and break up a friendship with such a person. Overlook it.

Today's Horoscope

A birthday today means that you should practice sincerity, patience and diligence in your ambitions and everyday life. Be less skeptical. You have great self-control and psychic powers, and are an excellent conversationalist. You have many friends, prefer the company of the opposite sex, but are well liked by your own. Good fortune will cross your path this year, the more so if full advantage is taken of the golden opportunities presented. A legacy is not improbable. A child who is born on this date will revel in knowledge and learning of all kinds, with a great love of detail and precision. Financial security is foreseen.

One-Minute Test Answers

1. Enoch Arden.
2. The blues or melancholy.
3. Belgian.

Jap Soldiers Cooling Off

The sizable number of Japanese prisoners taken in the Marshalls indicates that the fanatical fight-till-death battle zeal of the little yellow men may be cooling off. There is also a report from China that Japanese prisoners admit many of their comrades in the occupying army are inflicting gunshot wounds upon themselves in order to be invalided home. The boys seem to be taking even such an old, staple national remedy as hara-kiri in much more temperate doses.

LAFF-A-DAY

"I wonder if anybody was in that house we went through?"

Diet and Health

Doctor Explains Test for Aviators

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

A QUERY comes as to what the Schneider test is. I take the answer from a recent book *Fighting Fitness—A Preliminary Training Guide*, by C. Ward Crampton, M. D. (published in 1944 by Whittlesley House, New York).

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

An aviator must pass the Schneider test to enter service. A Schneider rating is frequently made on aviators and if one fails he is grounded.

Major Schneider, who designed the test, worked with aviators during the first World War at Mineola. He used the regular test of comparing pulse-rates and blood pressures in two positions, standing and lying down. But he felt that he could get more information as to their physical condition by increasing the tests to six. The result of these gives the Schneider index. Three points credit is given for each one.

Pulse Ratings

Test I. *Pulse rate lying down.* Most great athletes have slow pulses. Cunningham's heart rate is 45 to 48. Long distance runners, fighters, bicycle racers — all who have to have endurance usually have slow pulses.

Lie down, relax, shut the eyes. The pulse is taken minute by minute until it appears to be as slow as it is going to get. This takes about 5 minutes. The credits are—50 to 70 =+3. 70 to 80 =+2. 80 to 90 =+1. 90 to 100 =0.

Test II. *Increase of the pulse in standing.* Rise and stand for two minutes to allow the pulse to assume a uniform rate. Count the pulse by quarter minutes. When two consecutive 15-second counts are the same multiply by 4. This gives the rate of the pulse for one minute. Compare with the pulse while lying down. The less the pulse increases on standing the better. Cunningham's pulse goes along like Old Man River—the same lying or standing. Credits—If the pulse increases only up to 10 beats =+3. If it increases above 15 to 20 beats =+1. (and if it has been fast while lying minus 1.)

Standing Pulse Rate

Test III. *Standing pulse rate.* If the pulse is slow standing more credit is given than if it is slow while lying down.

Test IV. *Pulse rate after exercise.* Provide a stool or chair 18½ inches high. Put the right foot on top of the chair. In 15 seconds bring the left foot up and stand on the chair, and bring it down again. Repeat every three seconds.

The pulse rate is counted at the end of this exercise. Credits—In general depending on what the pulse rate was before the test an increase of 10 beats only gives a 3+ credit. Increase of 20 beats or over usually means 2+ credit, but if the pulse rate is over 90 to begin with, the credit is 0 on an increase of 20 beats.

Test V. *Return of the pulse to normal after exercise.* Endurance athletes may slow the pulse rate down from 160 to 80 in one minute after a prolonged grind. The Schneider test gives 3+ credit if it returns to normal in 30 seconds, 2+ if it returns in 60 seconds, 1+ if it returns in 90 seconds.

Test VI. *Blood pressure record lying and standing.* If the pressure rises in the standing position the test is good. If it falls bad.

The Schneider test shows up excessive smoking, lack of sleep, worry—any factors that make for softness.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

P. W.:—My Mother has diabetes and takes 10 units of insulin 3 times a week. Would vitamin pills be harmful for her?

Answer:—Vitamins do a diabetic, or one taking insulin, no harm and just as much good as they do any other kind of person.

LENTEN REDUCING DIET

By Dr. Clendening

Friday—500 Calories

BREAKFAST

½ grapefruit—no sweetening.
1 slice Zweiback—no butter or substitute.
1 cup coffee—no cream or sugar.

LUNCHEON

1 toasted cheese sandwich or whole wheat bread.
1 tomato sliced on lettuce—mineral oil dressing.
1 cup tea—no cream or sugar.

DINNER

Average helping any broiled, baked or boiled fish. (No fried fish.)
2 tablespoons poached cucumbers.
1 slice toast—no butter or substitute.
Raw or stewed fruit dessert.
1 small cup coffee—no cream or sugar.
(1 cup clear soup may be added if desired)

Looking Back in Fayette County

Five Years Ago

Heavy rainfall soaks county last night, and makes new rainfall record here.

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Ben L. Mader takes complete charge of shoe department of Craig Bros. Co.

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Funeral services held here for Carl Whited, World War Veteran.

Ten Years Ago

Police alert since bandit gang reported seen here.

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Nearly 1050 corn-hog contracts signed in Fayette County; expectations exceed as books are closed.

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Rainfall for five-month period ending March 1 below normal, report shows.

Fifteen Years Ago

J. Elmer White removed old garage building to make room for new two-story fireproof structure.

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There was snow on the ground here from January 27 to February 25.

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County commissioners approve re-location of Circleville road from Johnson's Crossing for a mile or so east.

Twenty Years Ago

Company M, now located in Oberwinter, Germany, contains few local faces, due to almost completed change of personnel.

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Fayette County Farm Bureau joins Ohio Federation of Farm Bureaus.

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Fayette County indebtedness is reduced to $500.

Occasionally red snow falls in the Arctic, the coloring being caused by minute particles in the atmosphere.

A Model is Murdered ~ BABS LEE

SYNOPSIS

A mysterious assassin cut short the gay career of Syria Verne, artists' model, just as she was answering the telephone in her penthouse apartment to which she had returned soon after midnight following a quarrel with Pierre Sturgis, art photographer. The police could find no gun, significant fingerprints, nor other evidence of an intruder. The, evening of the murder, she had met an old friend, Argus Steele, author and former detective, in the Penguin Club where he was dining with Ellen Curtis, a model. Syria left, accompanied by Sturgis. Bill Carstairs, III, playboy, introduced his latest blonde, Dorry, to Ellen and Argus. Later, Ellen found Dorry in the ladies' room, weeping because her Bill "was phoning that awful Syria Verne again." Ellen noticed a snub-nosed revolver in Dorry's open purse . . . Next morning, Ellen phoned Argus to tell him that Syria had been murdered. Police Inspector Grange visited Steele as the investigation got under way. Later, Ellen introduced Argus to Roger Flagg in the latter's model agency. Flagg invited Argus to examine his office files, and Ellen showed Argus the routine and records of the model agency. They note Syria's chart; she had four appointments for that day, one of them with Pierre Sturgis. They agreed to meet later at a fashion show. After leaving Flagg's "beauty shop," Argus goes with Inspector Grange to the Pierre Sturgis studio where they meet the gorgeous and gossipy Cynthia Lane who says that Syria had quarreled with Flagg. Later she introduces them to Pierre Sturgis and William Carstairs, Sr. Pierre invites the detectives into his private office.

CHAPTER TWELVE

"Perhaps I'd better be going," Carstairs rumbled in a deep voice.

"You simply can't run away before we've had our talk," said Cynthia, taking hold of his sleeve. "You've sho'ly heard about Carstairs' Tomato Catsup, haven't you, Mr. Steele? Well, this is the man who makes it." She snuggled closer to the Catsup king. "And I want to be the new girl on the bottle, now that Syria—" She broke off as she saw the look on Sturgis' face. Carstairs cleared his throat.

"We'll discuss it some other time," he said. "I really must be going. I'll call you later, Pierre, when you're free." He nodded curtly to Grange and Argus, turned on his heel and left the room. Argus watched Cynthia. But her face was expressionless. Only her dark eyes were sly as she watched Carstairs go.

"Is that Bill Carstairs' father?" Argus inquired.

"Yes," said Sturgis. "Now, if you'll follow me." He led the way to a small office and shut the door. When they were seated, Argus pulled out a pack of cigarettes and passed them around. Pierre took one. Grange pulled out his pipe.

"Mr. Sturgis," began Grange mildly, "I know that you were with Miss Verne last night, that you had an argument with her in the Maison restaurant and that she walked out on you." He paused to light his pipe. "Supposing you tell me about it in your own words. Did she seem at all nervous or upset?"

"Nervous! That's putting it mildly, Inspector. I've never seen Syria so upset as she was last night. She didn't want to have dinner with the Carters, after they'd made special reservations and all that sort of thing. She snapped me up on everything I said. She had the car driver stop on the way to the Maison, to make a phone call. Then she got up from dinner twice to make other phone calls."

"Then what?" Argus asked.

"Well, she got into an argument with the waiter over the soup. It was cold *vichysoisse*, and it was delicious. She insisted she had ordered it hot. Then she made a remark which I thought insulting to Mrs. Carter and I reprimanded her pretty sharply for it. I reminded her that, after all, we were their guests. I've known the Carters for years, you see, and I had told them what a grand girl Syria was."

"She sort of let you down," Argus declared.

"Did Miss Verne tell you why she was so upset?" Grange asked.

"No," said Sturgis. "I couldn't quite figure it out." He pressed his left thumb and forefinger to his eyeballs and held them there a minute. When he looked up his expression was the embodiment of grief. "I've just never had anything hit me like this," he apologized.

"What time was it when Miss Verne left the restaurant?" Grange queried. He licked the point of a short pencil and then wrote something in his little black notebook.

"I guess it must have been near 11:30. We had our showdown after her second phone call from the Maison. We exchanged some pretty hot words and—"

"And," Grange interrupted, "you told Miss Verne that if she left the party it would be either over your dead body or hers. Is that right?"

The photographer blanched. "If I did, Inspector," he answered, "I want you to believe that they were just so many words that slipped out in a moment of exasperation. I can see what you're leading up to, but I assure you that the last person in the world I would have harmed in any way was Syria Verne. I loved her." Sturgis felt in his pockets for another cigarette and lit it from the half-smoked butt in his hand.

"What time did you leave the Maison?" Grange asked, watching him intently.

"I suppose it must've been a few minutes later," Sturgis said. "I excused myself to the Carters and went for a walk. I wanted to cool off."

"Oh," observed Grange with renewed interest. "You wanted to cool off." He smiled, but not with his eyes. They were like two bits of flint. "And where did you go for this walk?"

"I don't know—I—" Suddenly Sturgis snapped his fingers. "Yes I do, too. I walked up to 67th Street and Lexington Avenue and had a brandy in the corner saloon. I don't recall the name of the place but it's on the northeast corner of the street. It was just midnight, too. The bartender turned on the radio and a voice announced the time. You can check on that, Inspector."

"I will," said Grange, firmly.

"When you'd cooled off," went on Argus, "did you try to get in touch with Miss Verne by telephone?"

"No," replied Sturgis. "Why?"

"Because the phone was off the hook," said Argus. "I thought that if you had tried to call her and discovered that her line was constantly busy, you'd suspect that something was wrong."

"I wish to heaven I had!" exclaimed Sturgis. "But I guess it would have been too late. Inspector, you've got to find the person who did this."

"That's just what I intend to do," said Grange. "You knew Miss Verne very well. Would you have an idea as to who might want to kill her?"

"No," answered Sturgis.

"How about Flagg?" Argus asked. A muscle in Pierre's face tensed.

"No," he said abruptly.

"What do you have against him?" Argus pressed.

"Why, nothing."

"Come on, now. You said yourself you wanted the Inspector to solve this case," pursued Argus. "It's his job to find out everything that might have any possible connection with Miss Verne."

"Well," Sturgis hesitated, and looked uncomfortable. "It's just that Flagg tried to make trouble between Syria and me. I wanted to marry her and Flagg talked her out of it. Said she shouldn't marry any one until she'd got along further in her career. At times I've wondered if his motives were purely unselfish or whether there was another reason."

The telephone rang. Sturgis picked it up. He talked for a minute and then put down the receiver.

"I'm afraid you'll have to excuse me," he said. "I've got some work to do. If I think of anything that has any bearing on this—this tragedy, Inspector, I'll let you know."

Grange stood up. "Well, don't leave town, Mr. Sturgis."

"I won't," Sturgis promised. "Good-bye, Mr. Steele." He limped to the door and opened it.

"Now where, Inspector?" Argus asked.

"I thought you weren't working on any more cases." Argus raised an eyebrow. "After all," he said, "I *did* know the girl—"

"Well," put in Grange, smiling, "I've got a phone call to make and then I thought I'd pay a call on an old friend of yours—Dancer Martinelli."

Argus bent his fingers and examined his nails.

"That," he said, "ought to be very interesting. I think I'll come along. Just for laughs."

(To be continued)

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Understand Your Federal Income Tax

No. 52

ADDITION TO THE TAX FOR DELAY IN FILING RETURNS

If an income tax return is not made and filed within the time prescribed by law, or prescribed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue in pursuance of law, a certain percent of the amount is required to be added to the tax.

For failure to file a timely income tax return, the amount to be added to the tax is 5 percent if the delay is not more than 30 days, with an additional 5 percent for each additional 30 days or fraction thereof during which failure to file a return continues, not to exceed a total of 25 percent. This addition will not be imposed, however, if the taxpayer can show, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, that the delay was due to a reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

A taxpayer who files a tardy return and wishes to avoid the addition to the tax for delinquency must make an affirmative showing of all facts relied on as a reasonable cause for failure to file the return on time, in the form of an affidavit which should be attached to the return. Alleged ignorance of the law is not a reasonable cause for delinquency.

If an extension of time for filing is desired, the request for the extension should be submitted to the collector in ample time so that if, for any reason, the extension is not granted, the return can still be filed on time.

Since employers are required to file with the Bureau of Internal Revenue a duplicate of the "Employee's Receipt" furnished each employee on Form W-2, showing how much income tax has been withheld during 1943, and since other persons making substantial payments to individuals for interest, rent, annuities, etc., on which income tax is not withheld, must file information returns on Form 1099, showing the amount of the payments made, taxpayers should make every effort to file their returns within the time prescribed by law and thus avoid the possibility of the additions to the tax being made for delay in filing.

These information returns are carefully checked with individual returns of taxpayers. Thousands of delinquent returns and additional revenue amounting to millions of dollars have been secured as the result of the examination of information returns.

NOT FOR CITY MANAGER

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Teaching Our Children

(Editor's Note: Typical daily lesson plans and outlines of teaching philosophies which have been filed with the county superintendent of schools are reproduced here to give readers a candid glimpse of the technique employed by the instructors in the county school system).

Subject: Reading. Grade Two. (Chaffin).
Unit or assignment: One Complete Story.
1. OBJECTIVES:
GENERAL—Promote Growth in Thoughtful Interpretation. Develop Efficient Habits of word Perception.
SPECIFIC—Promote Good Oral Reading. Provide for Individual Differences.
2. DEVICES OR APPROACH FOR REACHING OBJECTIVES: Establish a background for story. Present vocabulary in context. Approach to story. Guided Reading. Rereading and extending interpretation. Recognizing sequence of ideas. Dramatization (if the children choose to). Phonetic analysis.

Mrs. Grace Judy.

From where I sit . . .

by Joe Marsh

Lem Martin's dog went on a rampage last week . . . killed four of Ed Carey's best hens.

Naturally, Ed was pretty mad. Went around vowing he was going to get his shotgun and blow the blazes out of Lem's dog when he saw him. And Lem says, "Let him try it and I'll blow the blazes out of *him*. Ought to keep his chickens locked up, anyhow."

But Ed and Lem are really mighty sensible fellows. And the whole thing was settled when Lem invited Ed over for a glass of beer, and they sat around chatting over the quarrel as if it were a kind of joke.

"Shucks," says Ed, "them hens didn't amount to much nohow." And Lem says: "Just the same I'm bringin' you a barrel o' apples to pay for 'em."

From where I sit, it would be a lot better for the world if folks would settle their arguments peaceful-like—sitting around over a friendly glass of beer—instead of going off half-cocked, and making mountains out of molehills.

Joe Marsh

Washington at a Glance

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—The Office of Price Administration has the black market miseries. Fear of the spread of this kind of wartime racketeering colors almost every decision OPA makes.

Few realize it, but not since the days of bootlegging has racketeering been so widespread as it is today in the black markets. The authority for this is none other than FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover. Although careful to point out that there actually were fewer crimes reported in the United States last year then previously, Hoover emphasizes that the types of crime are changing. Gangs are on the upswing for the first time since repeal and the ordinarily law-abiding public is cooperating with them. Both Hoover and OPA Director Chester Bowles point out that black markets couldn't exist without cooperation of the public.

BOWLES' report on the black market activities last year is revealing. Although OPA has less than 3,000 investigators—not even an average of one a county—it investigated 650,000 cases of alleged violations last year.

The No. 1 black market headache is, of course, gasoline. Last year almost half of the black market convictions were for illegal dealings in gasoline or gas ration coupons. OPA estimates that almost 2,500,000 gallons a day are being moved by black marketeers and that if the racket could be stopped, every driver in the United States would have enough gas to travel 45 additional miles a month.

But Hoover warns that the liquor black market may surpass all others unless the trend can be curbed. The old gang methods of highjacking liquor stores by the truckload; robbing warehouses; and selling cut and bootleg liquor at exorbitant prices are with us again. Even speakeasies are back in some sections, but now they are called "cheat joints." Authorities believe that only the rationing of sugar and the difficulty in obtaining metals for stills has prevented illegal distilling at least on a scale comparable to the earlier days of prohibition.

Other commodities are also included. A black market in oranges was smashed in New York City, where the racketeers had upped the price to $1 a dozen.

Washington had a black market in potatoes (as did other cities) that had the Congressmen stewing. Here, as elsewhere, we also have seen a black market in onions.

Practically nationwide have been the black markets in meats. The illegal market in nylon hosiery that has upped the retail price to between $4 and $5 a pair has also been a coast-to-coast scandal.

Both Hoover and Bowles have pledged that their agencies will continue the fight. Black marketeers would not exist, they say, were it not for their consumers who have no regard for their patriotic duties and are willing to pay the prices.

+—Social Happenings—Personals—News of Interest to Women—+

March Church Day Is Observed Wednesday at Grace Methodist Church

March Church Day was observed by the Woman's Society of Christian Service at Grace Methodist Church on Wednesday with Mrs. Rose Hughey presiding. The morning session was opened by Mrs. Annette Rowe giving devotions on the theme for the day, "New Voices."

Miss Cordelia McCafferty and Mrs. Mabel French then rendered a duet entitled, "Praise the Lord", which was enjoyed by the members. They were accompanied by Mrs. Frank Blessing at the piano.

After the business meeting a covered dish luncheon was served in the church dining room with Mrs. Tom Bush's circle number two as hostesses for the day. Mrs. Frank Blessing presided as program chairman during the afternoon portion of the all-day meeting. It was opened by Miss Ann Patton giving a vocal solo entitled, "Ninety and Nine," accompanied by Mrs. Harold Craig.

The topic "New Voices" was injected into the program which was divided into three parts. Mrs. Sexton gave a most interesting paper on "Women at Work," and this article stated clearly that women were causing factories to be very conscious of them, and likewise women were becoming more conscious of factories. Factories are making improvements and adding conveniences for women who heretofore have never been considered. Woman, in industry, are being considered to a great extent in plans for the post war world.

Mrs. Helen Dunton's portion of the program dealt with "Women at Work in Detroit". Much of this information was taken from an article by Miss Lena York, who is a member of the Wesleyan Service Guild Council. Living conditions in crowded cities such as Detroit make the responsibilities of the church very great and in most instances problems relating to social and religious life are solved by the church. The subject of Mrs. Wallace Perrill's paper was "The Domestic Worker". This paper gave interesting facts concerning these people and showed that even their lives are being changed by the present times.

Mrs. George Miraben's topic was "Women in the Church", during which she urged that all women take their place in the activities of the church as well as in the home and industry, also that they be conscious of new people in the community and see that they are taken in and be made to feel they are a part of the community and church.

Miss Ellen Montgomery gave a lesson in "Etiquette in Church Attendance" which contained quite a few "do's" and "don'ts" for young and old. She also made a point of the fact that "religion is the keystone of the American life".

Mr. Donald Riber concluded the program with the reading of "A Handf... of Clay," by Henry Van Dyke.

Woman's Guild Meets Wednesday At Mrs. Woollard's

The Woman's Guild meeting was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred D. Woollard on Rawling Street and for the occasion she had placed attractive vase arrangements of jonquils and pussy willows throughout her attractive home, adding a gracious note to a most enjoyable afternoon.

The hour preceeding the business meeting was taken up in the usual sewing on comfort blocks, and an hour of visiting was also enjoyed over their needlework by the members.

The president, Mrs. Herbert Clickner, opened the meeting with a poem, "Thought on Service," after which Mrs. Oscar Beatty gave the devotions. She gave a scripture reading and then read an exposition on the same chapter by the great Scotch theologian, Dr. Henry Drummond. She closed with a prayer and the group then repeated, "The Lord's Prayer."

The regular business meeting followed during which it was decided to have a covered dish luncheon at the church basement at ten-thirty o'clock on Wednesday, March 8, and at this time comfort knotting will occupy the time.

Miss Ann Patton favored the group with a vocal solo entitled "The Ninety and Nine," which was greatly enjoyed by her enthusiastic audience. She was accompanied by Mrs. Harold Craig.

Mrs. O. D. Farquhar then treated the group when she gave a reading of an Irish story, impersonating the lovable character Mrs. Alderman Casey in her own delightful and inimitable way.

The hostess and her committee served coffee, tea and cake at the close of the afternoon's pleasures.

The committee was composed of Mrs. A. C. Gossard, Mrs. John Sheppard, Mrs. Robert Turnepseed, Mrs. R. A. Bryson, Mrs. T. J. Grove, Mrs. M. L. Clark, Mrs. Leota McLean, Mrs. Hoy Simons, Mrs. Imogene Nation, Mrs. C. E. Davis, Mrs. Lucy Butcher, Mrs. Lizzie Buck, Mrs. Edgar Coil, Mrs. Homer Miller, Mrs. A. Anderson, Mrs. Clark Pensyl, Mrs. C. S. Kelley, Mrs. W. E. Klever, Mrs. Lydia Williams, Mrs. Harold Callender, Mrs. C. V. Sexton and Mrs. Anna B. Shoop.

King's Daughters Class Meets with Miss Verna Williams for Session

The King's Daughters Class of the Church of Christ held their regular meeting with Miss Verna Williams as hostess, this week and devotions were given by Mrs. Tillie Van Gundy.

During the course of the business meeting it was voted to send an Easter gift to the Cleveland Christian Orphanage.

At the close of the business, the ten members present were served tempting refreshments by the hostess and the remainder of the time was spent in visiting.

The original American cross word puzzle, called a word-cross, was published in the New York Sunday World in December, 1913.

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Social Calendar

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THURSDAY, MARCH 2

Marshall Grange meets at Grange hall, 8 P. M.

Friendship Circle, Bloomingburg Methodist Church, home of Mrs. Madeline Lawson, 7:30 P. M.

THURSDAY, MARCH 2

D of A, at Jr. O.U.A.M. hall, regular meeting and initiation, 7:30 P. M.

Matron's Class of Bloomingburg Presbyterian Church, home of Mrs. Ray Larrimer, 2 P.M.

FRIDAY, March 3

Staunton WSCS, home of Mrs. Lydy Smith, 2 P.M.

Eber P.T.A. potluck supper, 7:15 P. M.

Ladies of G.A.R., regular meeting at Memorial Hall, 2:30 P. M.

Jeffersonville W. C. T. U., home of Mrs. Fred Barker.

New Martinsburg WCTU, home of Mrs. George Anderson, 2 P.M.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4

Open church wedding, Margaret Ashley-Lt. Charles McCoy, Grace Methodist Church, 4 P.M. Reception following at church for immediate family and out-of-town guests.

MONDAY, MARCH 6

Ladies of D.A.R., home of Miss Emma Jackson, 2:30 P.M. Note change in meeting place. Assisting chairman, Mrs. Olive Blakely.

TUESDAY, MARCH 7

Marguerite Class, First Presbyterian Church, home of Mrs. George Trimmer, 7:30 P. M.

Berean Class, South Side Church of Christ, home of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Jordan, 803 Yeoman Street, 7:30 P.M.

Loyal Daughter's Class, McNair Church, home of Mrs. Emmett Campbell, 7:30 P. M.

Personals

Mrs. Robert J. Eppley, Jr., and small son, Bobby, III, left here Tuesday for Harrisburg, Pa., where they will join Lt. Robert J. Eppley, Jr., to make their home while he is taking advanced schooling.

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Mrs. Earl Henry returned to her home here Tuesday from Providence, R. I., after spending a short visit with her husband, Earl Henry, aviation metalsmith, third class. He is stationed at the naval air station at Quonset Point, R. I.

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Mr. A. D. Murray returned Thursday morning from Chicago, Ill., where he has been spending the past three days attending the National School Administrators' Convention.

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Mrs. S. C. Woollard returned to her home in Chicago, Ill., Wednesday after spending ten days here with Dr. and Mrs. Fred D. Woollard and daughter, Miss Jeanne Woollard. She will stop with relatives in Columbus for a few days before continuing to her home in Chicago, Ill.

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Misses Jean and Eleanor Paul of Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, are spending the semester vacation here with their mother, Mrs. Nell Paul.

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Misses Patricia Gormley, Carolyn Cockerill, Clara Jane Horn and Helen Jean Pope of Greenfield were Wednesday visitors in this city.

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Mrs. Helen Carroll and son, John, of Hillsboro, were Wednesday visitors in this city.

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Miss Winifred Wade is in Chicago, Ill., on ten days detached service from the Fairfield Supply Depot.

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Mrs. Richard Matthews and son, Dickson, of Dayton, are spending the remainder of the week with Mrs. Matthew's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rowe of the Miami Trace road.

Ida Lupino, who won the New York Film Critics award for her performance in "The Hard Way," is co-starred with Paul Henreid in Warner Bros.' "In Our Time," which opens Sunday at the Fayette Theater.

Mrs. William Eakins Is Hostess Wednesday To White Oak Grove Meet

When the White Oak Grove WSCS met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Eakins, assisting hostesses were Mrs. C. C. Eakins and Mrs. Robert Haines.

The meeting was opened with a song followed by devotionals by Mrs. Robert Case.

The president, Mrs. Willard Allen, presided over the business session during which it was decided that each member is to bring a larger offering this year, instead of having a food sale, to replenish the society's treasury.

There were sixteen members and ten guests present. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in chatting, while they sorted and counted sales tax stamps which have been collected and brought to this meeting.

At the close of the afternoon, the hostess and her assistants served homemade ice cream and cake, which was highly enjoyed.

Give More - - in Forty-four

Barbara Willis Is Feted at Party On February 29

Mrs. Orpha Willis entertained in honor of her daughter, Barbara Sue, Tuesday evening when she invited a number of friends to attend the Fayette Theater, in celebration of her daughter's twelfth birthday. As Barbara Sue is a leap year baby, she really celebrated her third birthday this year.

After the show, which the young guests highly enjoyed, they went to the Isaly Dairy Store where delicious refreshments awaited them. The table was prettily decorated with a huge birthday cake which was inscribed in pink and white icing "Happy Birthday."

The guests lingered long around the tables, and Barbara Sue opened her many gifts there. The attractive youngster who was wearing an orchid skirt and pink sweater, made a charming picture as she graciously responded to her guests for their lovely remembrances.

The guests were Patty Dennison, Barbara Melvin, Nona Brown, Donna Bennington, Joyce Chase, Eleanor Bowen, Barbara West, Leila Mae McKinney, Marilyn Bishop, Jolene Chaney, Gloria Daws, Joan Rhonemus, Mary Slavens and Marion Weeter.

The group was chaperoned by Mrs. Willis and Miss Helen Willis.

Ninety-one per cent of Great Britain's single women between 18 and 40 are in war industry or women's volunteer services.

Mrs. Ray Beatty Is Feted at Gay Farewell Party

A farewell party entertained at the home of Mrs. William Gardner, Tuesday evening, honored Mrs. Ray Beatty, who will move Friday to Mt. Sterling with her husband and family where they will make their new home.

The party was entertained by Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Bryan Leasure and Mrs. Emmett Backenstoe and the guests were members of the Loyal Daughters' Class of McNair Church, of which the honoree is a member. There were four extra guests included who were Mrs. Russell Warner, Mrs. Joe Campbell, Mrs. Harold Walters and Mrs. Harold Burris.

The evening was spent in numerous interesting games of bingo, with Mrs. Alvin Campbell and Mrs. Joe Campbell winning the prizes.

A "hanky" shower was then presented to the guest of honor and her response was most gracious to her friends who had gathered to fete her as a farewell gesture.

The hostesses committee then served a tempting collation of viands which were highly enjoyed. This brought to a close the many pleasures of the evening.

Alpha Circle, CCL Entertained by Mrs. Humphreys

Mrs. William Humphreys assisted by Mrs. Richard Croker entertained eighteen members of Alpha Circle (C.C.L.) at her home on Cherry Street Wednesday evening and one guest, Mrs. R. S. Waters, was included at the meeting.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Charles Reinke, the vice-president, Mrs. Paul Van Voorhis, had charge of the session. During the meeting, Mrs. Howard Foster read "A Parent's Prayer."

At the close of the business meeting, a White Elephant Sale was hilariously conducted by the members with Mrs. Darrell Thornton acting as auctioneer.

Refreshments were served at the close of the sale, bringing to a close the pleasurable evening.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ora Middleton on March 15.

Chest Colds
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Girl Reserve Clubs of High School Hear Mrs. Fred Foster Speak

A combined meeting of the Junior and Senior Girl Reserve Clubs was held Wednesday afternoon in the Little Theater of the High School with the junior club president, Norma Coe, in charge.

During the afternoon preceeding the speaker, Miss Marjorie Evans, club advisor, stressed the fact that the girls are to help make the shoe cloths for the use of boy's overseas, which is a Red Cross project.

The guest speaker for the afternoon was Mrs. Fred Foster who told the young girls of the Army School of Nursing in World War I, and this was followed by group singing, led by Virginia Craig of the senior club.

The hostesses' committee then served delicious refreshments, and the joint meeting was pronounced a success by the members present.

3-Table Bridge Club Entertained Wednesday Eve

Misses Jayne and Peggy Devins were two charming co-hostesses Wednesday when the members of their three-table bridge club assembled at their home on South Main Street for the serving of a two course dinner and evening of bridge. Two guests, Mrs. Dean Fite and Miss Clara Story were included with the members.

The delicious meal was served in the attractive dining room at a prettily appointed table, and the hour spent there was a gay one, all taking this opportunity to visit with one another.

The remainder of the evening was spent in playing bridge with Miss Rosemary Burgett awarded the prize at the close of the evening.

FBI AFTER THIEVES

CHILLICOTHE — Thefts of various material from the former NYA Center here is being probed by FBI agents, as the property was owned by the Federal Government.

KESSINGER SENTENCED

HILLSBORO — Willard Kessinger, found guilty of second degree manslaughter, was sentenced, to $100 fine, 60 days in jail and his right to drive an auto suspended for one year.

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TROOPS ALL SET TO HIT EUROPE AND CONFIDENT

Boys Are Cocky But Jokes To Keep Up Spirits Are Tinged With Grimness

By JAMES E. KING

LONDON, Mar. 2—The American doughboy, waiting for the kickoff in the invasion of Europe is like a football player in a dressing room before the big game—cool, a little tense maybe, but confident.

Like the football player, he doesn't like to talk much about the business at hand. Wives, sweethearts, the home town—sure—but not what it's going to be like storming ashore.

They expect to be scared at first, especially those who haven't been shot at before, but they'll tell you: "We've got a job to do and we'll do it when the time comes."

Laughs Are Grim

They joke a little, like Pvt. Wayne Mantle, Harrisville, N. Y., who allowed he was "ready to invade New York right now."

But there's no joking in training against invasion day.

They are cocky, but they have no illusions about the grim game of war. They know a lot of them aren't coming back. But they know that it's the only way to win the war and get back home.

Sgt. Sammie Slusher, Willard, Ohio, tells his men how that first baptism of fire is going to feel.

"Frankly," he says, "you will be scared stiff. Your frame will tremble and your knees will knock. The sweat of your hands will be cold and clammy.

"Your lips and throat will be dry, your stomach upset, and you'll wish you were a couple of thousand miles away somewhere in America. It will be like waiting for the kickoff.

"Chances are you'll be surprised how cool you are once you get in there. You'll find you have a lot more know-how than you thought you did."

Work and Play Hard

These American soldiers don't rate anybody in particular, but they train hard, and on leave they play just like onyone else away from home would do.

Some are a little more anxious for the invasion to start than others, maybe because they have a touch of homesickness.

"In a way, I'm a little tired of waiting," said Sgt. Clarence Kamin, 24, Chicago, and Sgt. Paul Setkula, former Stump Creek, Pa., coal miner, finished the sentence for him. "The sooner we get started, the sooner we get home," he said.

Pvt. Kenneth O. Marshall, Shreveport, La., said "I think it will be rough" and Pvt. Clarence Huggman, Blacksburg, Va., added: "We'll do it."

Family Reunion

"You never can tell what you'll meet on an invasion," grinned Cpl. Harry Hammer, Brooklyn. "When we 'invaded' Northern Ireland I met my brother Ben, whom I hadn't seen for a long time, and my brother Murray (former New York policeman)."

Between wishing they were going home and knowing the only way to get there is by way of Berlin, they can laugh at such things as happened to Pvt. George Morgan, a murals painter from Staten Island, N. Y.

While training at Fort Bragg, N. C., Morgan took private flying lessons at a nearby field. He was shipped off, leaving a small bill unpaid at the field.

Morgan went for weeks without a letter. Then one came. He tore it open. It was from the air field.

It began: You apparently do not realize the seriousness of this situation."

Greenfield

Party Honoring Mrs. Burris

Mrs. Eugene Burris a recent bride was complimented at a miscellanous shower given by Miss Helene Price, with Mrs. George Johnson and Mrs. Ralph Head co-hostesses

Bridge formed diversion for the guests with winning trophies going to Mrs. Thomas Doyle, Miss Anne Kyle, Miss Bertha Little and Mrs. Thomas Badgley.

Miss Kay Wilson, Washington C. H. was out of town guest.

Monthly Meeting

Members of the Mothers' Club were guests recently of Mrs. Walter Currin, assisted by Mrs. Phil Haskell.

The program opened with the roll call with assigned topics. Mrs. J. W. Greisheimer, program leader spoke on the topic, "Home Front."

The group voted a donation to the Red Cross War Fund Drive.

Miss Margaret Conner and Mrs. Ray Ashling were guests of the club for the evening.

Birthday Honored

Martha Lou Grice celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary Monday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Roland Grice.

Merry games provided amusement at the party, after which guests were served dainty delicacies in a green and white color scheme.

Catherine Robinson, Ruthanne, Catherine and Dan Grice, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Oxley, Albert Day and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Grice shared the pleasures.

Nolan-Emery Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Emery of this city are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Jane to Lt. Charles L. Nolan, son of Mrs. Martha Nolan, Camden, S. C.

The ring service was read February 22 at the home of the bride's parents, with Rev. M. E. Hutson, pastor of the Church of Christ officiating.

Miss Martha Anne Pfeffer and Mr. Charles Uhl Jr., were the only attendents.

The New Mrs. Nolan is a graduate of McClain High School and Wilmington College and is a member of the faculty of Martinsville High School where she is head of the commercial and speech department.

Lt. and Mrs. Nolan are visiting the former's mother and later will go to Baltimore, Md. where he is stationed.

Card Club Meets

Mrs. Willard Winegar and Mrs. Thomas Badgley were guest players of the card club entertained recently by Mrs. Irvin Weller.

When scores were tallied winning trophies were presented Mrs. Addie Miller and Mrs. F. R. Charles with the traveling gift going to Mrs. Robert Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Entertain

Accenting the approach of the Easter season, Mr and Mrs. C. E. Brown entertained for the pleasure of Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Davidson of Anderson, Indiana.

Green and yellow appointments were attractively used for the dining table where guests were seated.

The evening hours were spent in playing cards.

Mr. and Mrs. David Talisman and children, Eleanor and Thomas Columbus, were out of town guests.

Approaching Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Streitenberger are ennouncing the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie to William Rasey, son of Mrs. Emma Rasey, Sinking Springs.

The bride-elect is an alumna of Buckskin Valley High School Class 1940, while Mr. Rasey is a graduate of Sinking Springs and Ohio State University. He is principal at Buckskin and assistant coach.

The marriage will be an event of the coming summer.

Entertains For Visiting Guest

Miss Madge Gilliland entertained informally Sunday evening, honoring her house guest, Miss Jean Carrier, Cincinnati and Miss Sara Clark of this city who has joined the WAVES.

During the dinner hour, the table appointments were in the national colors.

Hostess At Bridge

A coterie of guests were entertained by Mrs. W. E. Seilkop at her home Friday evening.

Contract bridge was the diversion, the game concluded at the final count.

Mrs. Lowell Wilkins, Mrs. L. F. Brigius and Mrs. Mel Shaw were presented the winning awards.

Patriotic appointments marked the small tables for the serving of a dessert course.

Personals

Lt. Rose Clark who is stationed at Fletcher General Hospital, Cambridge, Ohio and Mrs. Jane Gleason, Athens were guests the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Staats.

Mr. and Mrs. Dal Bayless have as their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frizzel, daughters, Connie Jean and Carol Anne, Cambridge.

Mrs. Howard Coleman, Cincinnati returned to her home Sunday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Seilkop and son, Dick, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Seilkop.

Following a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Cochran, Mrs. Kenneth Sexton has returned to Dayton.

Mr. nad Mrs. Paul Parky have left for Washington D. C. having visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson.

Mrs. Henry Rowe has been the guest of Mrs. Katherine Rowe, Columbus.

Mrs. Ada Wise is visiting her son, Air Cadet Austin Wise, Manhattan, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. George G. Donnelly, children, Diane and Donald, Akron passed the weekend with Mrs. E. D. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moorhead and Mrs. Ray Hanawalt were visitors in Cincinnati Friday.

Mrs. Clara Kelly is visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kelly, Baltimore, Md.

Pvt. and Mrs. Herbert Preist have returned to Camp Riley, Kansas, following a visit with local relatives.

Mr. W. W. Everhart is home from Albia, Iowa where he made an entended visit with his daughter, Mrs. Gladys Thompson.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzsimmons were Mr. and Mrs. Alan Arbogart, daughter, Patty of Circleville.

Mrs. John Greisheimer and daughter, Carolyn are spending the week with relatives in McArthur.

Miss Lucy Smith had as her guest over the week end, Mrs. Bessie Morris, Springfield.

In World War I each soldier accepted by the Army, had to have a minimum of 12 teeth.

PAPER PICK-UP SCHEDULED FOR NEXT SATURDAY

Collection To Begin at 8 A. M. If Weather Fair, Craig Asserts

Unless it rains next Saturday, Boy Scouts will be around to collect waste-paper, Maynard Craig, salvage chairman, said today. The collection will begin at 8 A. M.

As in previous collections—the last one netted 15 tons, Craig said—paper should be tied in bundles and put at the curb before houses. Paper cartons should be flattened to make collection easier, he reminded.

The dominant note in the waste paper collection of 8,000,000 tons expected nationally this year is the need for essential military and civilian needs. What with so much paper going overseas—as ration containers, parachutes, shell casings and to protect other vital war material—never to be returned, more than half of all the salvagable paper in the country muct be collected and sent to the mills.

Donald Nelson, War Production Board chief, said, "there are many people who say—'just tell us what we can do to help this war effort.'" One of the very very important things they can do is the collection of paper in order that we can carry on a war economy, because that is what paper means to us. We live on paper. It is almost as important to us today as air and water. It is not waste paper. It is the raw material for very important containers of all kinds and building materials."

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Richard Knight Freed on First Degree Murder

COLUMBUS March 2—(AP)—The district court of appeals yesterday ordered the release of Richard Knight of Hardin County, who has served almost 10 years of a life sentence which the court held had been imposed illegally.

Knight pleaded "guilty of murder in the first degree with mercy," in 1934 when he was called to trial in the Hardin County common pleas court on a first degree murder charge in the slaying of Loyal W. Bean of Hardin County during a robbery.

The appellate court granted Knight a writ of habeas corpus on the grounds that Ohio law recognizes no such plea.

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OHIO SOLDIER INDICTED FOR MURDER OF COMRADE

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Mar. 2—(AP)—A murder indictment was returned against Pvt. Charles Lewis Reynolds, 23, a Columbus, Ohio soldier, charged with killing another soldier, Pvt. Lee M. Riley of Webster City, Iowa, in a hotel here February 7.

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EATMORE	Kroger Margarine 6 Points	Lb. 15c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	Point Free, 46 oz. can	27c
TUNA FISH	Grated Style 5 Points, No. 1/2 can	23c
KRAFT DINNER	Macaroni, 2 Pkgs.	17c

Grapenuts Flakes	Lg. Pkg.	13¢
Post Toasties	Giant Pkg.	12¢
Bran Flakes Country Club	15 oz. Pkg.	10¢
Corn Flakes Country Club	Lg. Pkg.	7¢
Tea May Garden Orange Pekoe	1/4 Lb.	24¢

Kroger **Spotlight** Hot Dated Coffee 3 Lb. Bag 59c

Bulk Navy Beans (2 Points per pound)	3 lb.	25¢
Peaches Sliced 30 Points	No. 2 1/2 Can	21¢
Raisins Sun Maid Seedless, 4 Pts.	15 oz. Pkg.	15¢
Corn Country Club Whole Kernel	12 oz. Can	13¢

Peanut Butter Kroger Embassy Brand	2 Lb. Jar	39c
Salted Peanuts	6 Oz. Pkg.	10c
Crisp Crackers Country Club Graham	Lb. Pkg.	17c
Tomatoes Red-Ripe, Full Pack, 10 Points	No. 2 Can	10c
Tomato Juice 4 Points	3 Cans	29c
Sliced Peaches Punch Brand, 30 Points	No. 2 1/2 Can	28c

Come Across For Red Cross

Lifebuoy Health Soap	3 Bars	20c
Rinso	Lg. 23c	Sm. 10c
Swan Soap	3 Lg. Bars	29c
Country Club **Corn Flakes**	Lg. Pkg.	7c
Bran Flakes	Pkg.	10c
Swan Soap	Med. Bar	6c
Woodbury Facial Soap	Bar	8c
Household Institute **Aluminum Cleaner**	Pkg.	19c
Dixie Margarine, 6 Points	Lb.	25c

CHICKENS Table Dressed for Frying	Lb.	57c
CHICKENS Table Dressed for Stewing	Lb.	50c
FRESH HAMS Shank Half, 3 Points; Whole or Butt Half, Lb. 32c — 5 Points	Lb.	29c
VEAL CHOPS Grades A and B Rib, 9 Points, Loin, 10 Points	Lb.	35c
VEAL ROAST Shoulder, Grade A and B, 8 Points	Lb.	24c

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Points	Item	Price
4	SLICED BACON - Grade A Kwick Kwist	Lb. 35¢
4	BOSTON BUTTS	Lb. 33¢
2	FRESH CALLIES	Lb. 27¢
4	BOLOGNA SAUSAGE	Lb. 29¢
2	LIVER PUDDINGS	Lb. 27¢
2	PORK LIVER, Sliced	Lb. 22¢
0	HERRING FILLETS	Lb. 29¢

Potatoes U. S. No. 1—50 Lb. Bag $1.73; U. S. No. 1 Idaho—10 Lb. Bag 45c	15 Lb. Peck	59c
Oranges Florida, Full of Sweet Juice	5 Lbs.	32c
Grapefruit Florida, Peak Quality, Full of Juice	5 Lbs.	32c
Fancy Apples Western Winesap	Lb.	11c
Carrots Large Bunches, Sweet and Tender	2 Bchs.	15c
Pascal Celery California Jumbo Size Stalks	Stalk	23c
Cabbage Firm, Tender, Medium Size Heads	3 Lbs.	10c
Green Beans Fresh	2 Lbs.	29c

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LIONS CANTEEN BENEFIT SHOW TO BE APRIL 17

Club Given Citation for Selling $200,000 War Bonds in Drive

The "Lions Canteen Revue" will be presented April 17 in the high school auditorium, it was announced today.

Rehearsals for the benefit show to keep the canteen service at the bus station, sponsored by the Lions Club, here running have already begun. W. L. O'Brien and Robert Terhune, cochairmen of the show, report rehearsals of the choruses are progressing "very nicely."

Every Lion will have a part in the show, if only in choruses, it is said. The present plans include a minstrel show as the Lions Club part of the show, with other acts culled from Washington C. H. talent scattered through the performance.

Ray G. Nauss, WCH Lion in service now stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky., wrote Clifford Hughes he had received a package of the cookies given to service men at the canteen here. A soldier, stationed at Camp Campbell, stopped here on his way back to camp, received the cookies and brought them along with him to give to Nauss.

For selling nearly $200,000 worth of War Bonds during the Fourth War Loan drive, the Lions Club today has a U. S. Treasury Department citation. The navy team, headed by Eugene Smith, sold over $100,000 worth and the Army team, generaled by Charles Reinke, sold over $96,000 worth of bonds. Reinke and Smith were given individual certificates.

The certificate will be framed and hung by the Lions Honor Roll in the Country Club. F. E. Hill, chairman of the War Finance Committee, presented the citation.

Bliss Robison, recently inducted member, attended his last Lions Club meeting Tuesday night. He leaves for Naval service next Tuesday. Howard Thompson is also scheduled to enter service soon. Paul Van Voorhis and R. B. Tharp were named to buy gifts for the two men.

A committee appointed by President Harold McCord to arrange for a ladies night program March 28 is headed by Ellet Kaufman with Ed Suntheimer, Ray Seblom, Robert Hook and Alfred Weatherly as his coworkers.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps

New Holland Community

Mrs. Marian Shaeffer—Phone 3502

Dinner Guests

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Shaeffer and family were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitten and sons of Williamsport, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and family of near Mt. Sterling, Joe Satchell, Miss Mary Evelyn Hickle, Miss Betty Slager and Miss Norma Speakman and Miss Minnie Shaeffer of Columbus.

Surprise Party

Mrs. Jay Jobe entertained for her husband Wednesday evening, in honor of his birthday anniversary.

Guests included the following: Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and daughter, Patty, of Circleville, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown of Washington C. H., Mr. and Mrs. Everette Hecoax and son, Roger Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown, Mrs. Virgil Dinkler and son, Charles Edgar, Cpl. and Mrs. Calvin Shaeffer, Miss Dorothy Woods, Mrs. Ilo McClurg of Clarksburg.

Personals

Mrs. Eugene Steinhouser was a Wednesday overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Steinhouser and daughter, Margaret.

Cpl. Frank Hill arrives from Louisiana, Wednesday, to spend a 15 day furlough visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Hill.

Miss Martha French, student at Ohio State University, Columbus, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Charles French.

Cpl. and Mrs. Calvin Shaeffer were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hott and son, Gary.

Mrs. Francis McCollister, son, John Edward and Mrs. Sara Satchell of Clarksburg, were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Mary Satchell and family.

Mrs. R. H. Mellen, of New York City, N. Y., is a guest this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Renick.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Chapman and daughter, Rita Ann, of Mt. Gilead, spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Louis and Mrs. Louella Chapman.

Mrs. Richard W. Kirkpatrick left Tuesday to join her husband, Lieut. Kirkpatrick at Louisville, Ky., after a brief stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell S. Ebert.

Miss Kathryn Satchell of Dayton, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Mary Satchell and family.

Mrs. Adah Frost and sons, Richard and Robert, moved recently from the former Peter Follrod farm, to Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. George Donohoe, daughters, Portia and Janis and sons, Gene and Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barker and daughter, Luana, of Washington C. H., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Donohoe and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Donohoe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Martin, Mrs. Minnie Weffler and daughter, Mary, and Mrs. Turney Glick, of Circleville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gerhardt.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Recob and sons, Jimmy and David, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waller, of Columbus, were guests, Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brigner and daughter, Leola.

Howard Duvall, of Batavia, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Duvall, of Frankfort. Mr. Duvall visited Sunday evening, at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. George McGhee and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Evans and son, Harley.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jester of Columbus, were Sunday visitors with relatives.

Mrs. Annalouise Cramblitt and Miss Kathryn Bryant of Dayton, spent the weekend at their homes here.

New Martinsburg

A group of neighbors and friends assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elden Marshall and daughter, Karon Sue, Friday evening to surprise Mr. Marshall on the occasion of his birthday anniversary. A potluck supper was served from the dining table. Centering the table was a huge birthday cake, a color scheme of red, white and blue was carried out in the table decorations.

Those present with the honor guest were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perrie, Jr., and son Mickey, Mr. and Mrs. William Marshall, of near Leesburg, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dowler and son Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kyle and son Billie, of Beuna Vista, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McKinley, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carrey, of Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritter, Miss Louise Ritter and Mr. Winfred Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McClure and Shirley Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Happy Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Saylor Wilson and son.

Personals

Chester Smith spent the week end in Springfield with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Saylor Wilson and son had as their dinner guests, Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Marshall and daughter, Karon Sue.

Mrs. Ida Bell Simmons spent the week end in Springfield with her brother, Mr. Otis Wheaton and Mrs. Wheaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Conner, of Springfield, spent last Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson.

Vistors in Greenfield Saturday were Mrs. Bessie Rowe, Miss Leona Limes, Mrs. Ida Stienhauser, Harry Limes, James Purtell and Mrs. Lisetta Wacker.

Mrs. Lucy Smith and Mrs. Thelma Hudnell were shopping visitors in Washington C. H. Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritter and daughters, were dinner guests Wednesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wacker.

Mrs. Ida Zimmerman was a visitor in Greenfield, Friday.

Mrs. Lucy Wipert called on Mrs. Ida Zimmerman, Saturday afternoon.

Lady Nearly Choked While Lying in Bed—Due to Stomach Gas

One lady said a few days ago that she used to be afraid to go to bed at night. She was swollen with stomach gas, which always got worse when she went to bed, and the gas would rise up in her throat after she lay down and would nearly choke her. She couldn't lie flat. Had to prop herself up on pillows. Recently this lady got ERB-HELP and now says gas is gone, stomach feels fine, bowels are regular and she can go to bed and sleep soundly.

ERB-HELP contains 12 Great Herbs; they cleanse bowels,, clear gas from stomach, act on sluggish liver and kidneys. Miserable people soon feel different all over. So don't go on suffering! Get ERB-HELP. Finley's Drug Store.

OF HUMAN INTEREST At The War Front

By FRED HAMPSON

ADVANCED SOUTH PACIFIC AIR BASE, Solomons Island, March 2—(AP)—You may have heard the conjecture, "I wonder if our air men really shoot down as many enemy planes as we claim?"

I asked our fighter pilots who have been devastating Rabaul for more than two months what they think about this, and got a variety of answers.

Some say we shoot down more than we claim. Others say we are too optimistic. Others say the figures are about right.

Capt. Harold L. Spears of Ironton, O., a Marine corsair pilot credited with destroying 15 enemy planes, says, "Our scores are pretty accurate.

"Sometimes there is some duplication, but not much," he reported. "We don't claim a kill unless we see the plane blow apart, flame or crash and as a rule a flier can be pretty certain whether he got a kill."

Hawley Russell of North Scituate, Mass., who has shot down at least five Japanese planes, said he thinks our figures are too big.

"The mistakes are honest mistakes," he said, "but the exaggeration comes about by more than one pilot claiming the same kill. Also you've got to remember that in an air fight we are always traveling at about 400 miles an hour and turning and twisting and half the time we are partly blacked out.

"We shoot down a hell of a lot of Japs, all right, but I sometimes doubt if we get as many as we claim. But we shoot down a damned sight more of them than they do of us and it's not only because of our better planes and ordnance—it's because of our better personnel."

OHIO PARACHUTER KILLED

MARFA, Tex., March 2—(AP)—Second Lt. Thomas E. Russell, 25, was killed in a parachute jump from a Marfa army air field training plane which crashed. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore A. Russell of Cincinnati.

WAVERLY ATTORNEY UP FOR LT. GOV. POST

WAVERLY, March 2—(AP)—George D. Nye, Waverly attorney, announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for lieutenant governor. The former Pike County prosecutor and common pleas judge was the Democratic nominee for lieutenant governor in 1940.

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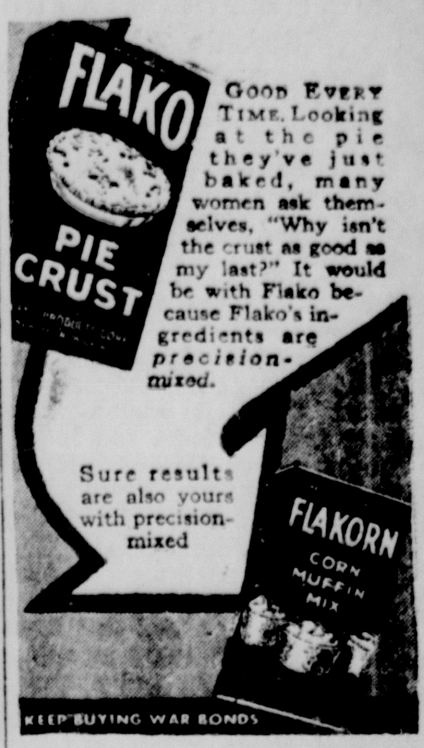

GOOD EVERY TIME. Looking at the pie they've just baked, many women ask themselves, "Why isn't the crust as good as my last?" It would be with Flako because Flako's ingredients are *precision-mixed.*

Sure results are also yours with precision-mixed

Hours for Long Distance Night Rates

Long distance telephone night rates are now available from 6 P. M. to 4:30 A. M. The extra hour has been added with permission of the Ohio Public Utilities Commission and in line with the order of the Federal Communications Commission.

This time will be especially welcomed by the service men and women, most of whom find the evening the only opportunity to call home.

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PORTO RICAN Candy Yams Melt In Your Mouth — 2 Lbs 25c

TEXAS MARSHSEEDLESS GRAPEFRUIT Full of Juice — 10 Lb Bag 59c

Old Fashioned Winesap APPLES From Old Virginia — 3 Lbs 32c

STATE OF MAINE POTATOES Snow White Cookers — 15 Lb Bag 65c

JUICY FLORIDA ORANGES Chockful of Juice — Doz 35c

RUTABAGAS lb. 4c Nice Size

Sandwich Cookies	Rich Cream Filling	2 Lbs	25c
Pure Cane Sugar	Low Thrift "E" Price	5-Lb Bag	31c
Fancy Spinach	Eavey's Quality No Grit. Healthful	No. 2 Can	15c
Del Monte Peaches	Halves In Delicious Syrup Packed In Glass	No. 2½ Jar	35c

BLACK CHERRIES	Hunt's Fancy Sweets	No. 2½ Can	49c
BARTLETT PEARS	Hunt's Choice Halves	No. 2½ Can	39c
FRUIT COCKTAIL	Diced Fruit In Syrup. No Limit	No. 1 Can	19c
FANCY CATSUP	Rich, Red Deliciously Spiced	Lge Bot	19c
LIMA BEANS	Eavey's Fancy Tiny All Green	No. 2 Can	28c
GREEN BEANS	Eavey's Fancy Whole. Tiny	No. 2 Can	23c
RAISINS	Fancy Bleached No Limit	15-Oz Pkg	20c
RED KIDNEY BEANS	Packed In Glass or Tin	Can	13½c
PINK SALMON	Taste T Brand ½ Size Can	Can	18½c
SOUP MIX	Betty Crocker Supply Limited	Pkg	10c
APPLE SAUCE	Mott's Famous Quality	No. 2 Can	18c
SEEDLESS RAISINS	Fancy Quality No Limit	2 Lbs	29c
LUNCH TONGUE	Armour's. Ready To Serve	12-Oz Can	45c
PRESSED HAM	Armour's. Ready To Serve	12-Oz Can	39c
VEAL & PORK LOAF	Armour's. Ready To Serve	7-Oz Can	25c
PEACHES	St. Francis California Freestone Halves	No. 2½ Can	29c
COCOA	Our Mother's Rich, Smooth	Lb Pkg	23c
DILL SNACKS	Tasty Gold Seal Pickles	12-Oz Jar	10c
SALAD DRESSING	Gold Seal Delicious On Salads	16-Oz Jar	19c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	Pure Unsweetened	46-Oz Can	33c
PEAR COMPOTE	Proven Brand Irregular Pieces	No. 2½ Can	27c
SLICED DILLS	Tiger Lily Brand A Low Price	Qt Jar	19c
NU MAID OLEO	Table Quality A Delicious Spread	Lb	19c
EVAP. MILK	Wilson's or Carnation	Tall Can	9c
CORN FLAKES	Post Toasties or Kellogg's	11-Oz Pkg	9c
TOILET TISSUE	Charmin Soft, Absorbent	4 Rolls	23c

DRY CLEANER	Aunt Sue's Gives Excellent Results	Gal	59c
SWEETHEART SOAP	The Old Favorite No Limit	Cake	7c
CRANBERRY SAUCE	Minot Brand It's Delicious	16-Oz Jar	22c
TABLE SALT	Eavey's Iodized or Free Running	2 2-Lb Pkgs	15c
CREAM VELVET FLOUR	The Whitest Enriched Bread Flour In America	10-Lb Bag	49c
COOKIES	Pot O' Gold or Yellow Bonnet Iced Marshmallow	Lb	35c
RIPPLED WHEAT	Sunshine Breakfast Cereal	Pkg	10c
CORN MEAL	White. Finest Quality	5-Lb Bag	25c
GRANULATED SALT	Merrit Brand Medium	100-Lb Bag	98c
WHEATIES	Breakfast of Champions	Pkg	10½c
CAKE FLOUR	Softasilk or Swansdown	Pkg	26c
ZERO	New All Purpose Cleaner	Qt Bot	10c
MERRIT COFFEE	Sweet, Mild Drinking Blend	Lb	21c
MODESS MEDS	Nationally Known Tampons	Pkg of 10	19c
GRAHAM WAFERS	Sunshine Sugar and Honey	Lb Pkg	19c
IVORY SOAP	Supply Limited Lge Cake 10c	Med Cake	6½c
IVORY FLAKES	Duz or Oxydol Supply Limited	Lge Pkg	23c
IVORY FLAKES	Duz or Oxydol Supply Limited	Sm Pkg	9½c
CAMAY SOAP	Or Lava Soap Supply Limited	Cake	7c
CRISCO	Vegetable Shortening Supply Limited	3-Lb Jar	69c
ROLLED OATS	Fine Quality Low Price	5-Lb Bag	35c
BLACK PEPPER	Pure. Ground Low Price	Lb	19c
HAND LOTION	Gayla. Greatly Reduced Price	Bot	10c
VEGETABLE FLAKES	Mixed Dehydrated For Soups	3 Pkgs	25c
ALL-NU POLISH	Polishes Pots and Pans	Pkg	5c
LOGANBERRIES	Oregon Fruit In Heavy Syrup	No. 2 Can	34c

Matches	American Ace Strike Anywhere	6 Boxes	19c
Stock Salt	White Block Special Stock Up Price	Block	39c
Evaporated Milk	Green Pastures. Our Largest Selling Brand	3 Tall Cans	25c
Marmalade	Dutch Girl. Orange and Grapefruit. No Points Needed	2-Lb Jar	19c

KOTEX Modess or San Nap Pak — Pkg 22c

EAVEY'S COFFEE Vacuum Packed — Regular or Drip. You've Never Tasted Finer Coffee — Lb 33c

JELLO Quantity Limited — Pkg 6c

Sugar Cured Bacon Half or Whole Slab lb. 29c

STRONGHEART DOG FOOD Kept Under Refrigeration — 2 1-Lb Pkgs 29c

In Our Meat Department!

Ground Beef	Strictly Fresh	lb.	28c
Pure Pork Sausage	Country Style	lb.	32c
Sliced Bacon		lb.	33c
Chuck Roast	Quality Beef	lb.	29c
Pure Pork Lard		lb.	16c

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PUERTO RICO IS DESCRIBED TO SPANISH CLUB

B. M. Frank Weade Tells WHS Students of His Experiences

The WHS Spanish Club today has a clear picture of what life on Puerto Rico is like after Boatswain's Mate 2-C Frank Weade, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Weade, told the club members of the customs, activities, food and education of Puerto Ricans.

B. M. Weade has been stationed on the West Indian Island since October, 1943, and learned the every day life of the inhabitants.

When asked if he had picked up any Spanish, he replied "When you're out on the coast alone with a native one of you has to give." Then he added that Spanish is heard on every side from morning till night and naturally he had learned many expressions.

He also remarked the only foods that are eaten are rice, beans and fruit. "I believe I have almost gone tropical too," he said, as he told of his lack of appetite for other foods.

Another feature of the program was an observance of Henry W. Longfellow's birthday. Longfellow spent a number of years in Spain translating Spanish poetry. Nancy Lee James presented a short biography of Longfellow and accompanied the group as they sang the English and Spanish words of "Stars of the Summer Night." Some Spanish verses of "Coplas De Manrique" were read by Dick Hagerty, followed by Longfellow's English translation read by Bobby Lou Speaks.

The business session, conducted in Spanish by Miss Speaks, featured scripture and prayer by Karl Harper.

A chili luncheon was served by Harriett Braun, Edna Lininger, Mary Lou Follis and Bevery Long. Ed DeHeart, a former member, was a guest for the meeting and luncheon. Miss Mary Elizabeth Wood is the sponsor of the club.

MIDDLETOWN PLANT MAKES NEW PLANES

Only American Manufacturer Of Cargo Aircraft

MIDDLETOWN, March 2—(AP)—Termination of War Department contracts for the manufacture of primary training planes found the Aeronca Aircraft Corp., engaged in a vast retooling program necessary to start the first American production of big, fast utility-cargo planes heretofore made only in Canada.

Production of trainers was terminated Monday by a War Department order.

The new ship is expected off Aeronca's assembly line early this spring. Under the arrangement, Aeronca will be the first and only manufacturer.

LIBERTY SHIP TO BE NAMED FOR CLAPPER

WASHINGTON, March 2—(AP)—The name of the late Raymond Clapper, newspaper columnist, will be given to a Liberty ship constructed by the shipyard having the lowest accident rate during a month-long safety contest beginning today among nine yards scattered from Maine to California. Clapper was killed in a plane accident while observing the invasion of the Marshall Islands.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps

Sabina Community

Day of Prayer

The World Day of Prayer Service which was observed in all Christian Nations was held at Sabina Methodist Church and largely attended Friday in a union service, with all Sabina churches represented. Mrs. J. C. Williams of the Methodist Church was leader.

Call to Worship was given by Mrs. Wayne Stauffer, of the Church of Christ. Mrs. Charles Glass and Mrs. Guy Fenner furnished a duet with Miss Vesta Sparks at the piano.

Mrs. Hazel Price represented the A. M. E. Church using for the group "Intercession for Sorrow" and a duet by the ladies of that church followed.

Intercession for Christians Throughout the World" was given by Mrs. De Witt Foster of the Friends Church followed by volunteer prayer and singing by the congregation, with Mrs. R. A. Gaskins at the pipe organ and Mrs. H. H. Griffith at the piano.

Mrs. Eugene Van Pelt with a group of ladies from the Methodist Church spoke on "Intercession for the Refining Spirit of Mankind." Mrs. Leslie Davis furnished a solo. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. J. C. Williams.

Moves To Cincinnati

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Gire and two sons, Tommy and Dana moved to 358 Terrace Avenue, Cincinnati, 20, Ohio, Monday and will make that their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gire will be greatly missed in this community; Mr. Gire having been manager of the Kroger Store here, President of the Lions Club, Scout Master of Troop 63, as well as various interests he took in the village at large.

He has enlisted in the Navy and will enter service when called.

Mrs. Mills Celebrated Birthday

Mrs. Jane Mills celebrated her 93rd birthday anniversary at the home of her grand daughter, Mrs. Irene Marsh. She was able to be up and around the home as she greeted her many friends and neighbors who called.

Her only sister, Mrs. Josephine Peele spent the week with her. She received flowers, birthday cakes, and a number of greeting cards, for which she was very grateful.

Enters Navy

Vernon E. Morris, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris, has been appointed a Naval Aviation Cadet and was recently transferred to the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Florida.

Honors Grandson

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Roshon entertained Friday, February 25th, with a dinner party honoring their little grandson, Neil Strong's, second birthday anniversary

Other guests for the lovely dinner were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Strong, of Washington C. H.

Removal

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith will move to the Mulvahill property this week, which was vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Gire, on South Howard Street.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. John Shadley and Nathan Shadley of Dayton with Floyd Shadley of Washington C. H. were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shadley.

Moves To Sabina

Mr. and Mrs. Everett C. Waddel, son Billy and daughter, Barbara have moved from their country home on the Snow Hill Road, to their new home in Sabina.

Moves To Dayton

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Swingley are vacating the Lynch property on West Elm Street, and storing their household goods, until about the middle of March, when they will move to Dayton, where Mr. Swingley is already employed.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. William Darbyshire and family of Bainbridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. Meredith Darbyshire and daughter Joy of Wilmington were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. A. J. Darbyshire.

Personals

Tech. Sgt. Billy Kelso of Baer Field, Indiana, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fred Kelso.

Mrs. Allie Manker is ill at the hme of Mrs. Charles Williamson on North College Street.

Mrs. Clint Shoop, who has been quite ill at McClellan Hospital, Xenia is reported improving.

Mrs. G. A. Spring, of Columbus, was the house guest last week of Mrs. J. C. Burnett.

Relatives here have received word of the illness of Jack Wolfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gail Wolfe who is ill in the hospital at Camp Lowery Field, No. 1, Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. H. E. Kincaid is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. V. B. Wilson.

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BRICKER-FOR-PRESIDENT HUB MAY BE IN CAPITAL

COLUMBUS, March 2—(AP)—The possibility of establishing Bricker-For-President headquarters in Washington will be considered here tomorrow at a meeting of Gov. John W. Bricker's campaign committee, Robert L. Barton, the governor's secretary, reported today.

TEN ROTARIANS GIVE PROGRAM AT MT. STERLING

Washingtonians Sing, Play for Fellow Club Members in Fireside Inn

Ten Washington C. H. Rotarians showed members of the Mt. Sterling Club what Washingtonians can do when it comes to singing Tusday night when they provided the musical program for the Mt. Sterling club.

Belford Carpenter, Ora Middleton and Paul Fitzwater sang solos and also joined in the chorus, which included Colin Campbell, J. H. Persinger, Harry Silcott, Glen Woodmansee, Robert Willis, Wert Shoop and Walter Craig. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ralph Gage and Miss Mary Jean Gage.

They were invited by R. G. Webber of the Mt. Sterling Club to provide entertainment for the meeting held at the Fireside Inn. Piano solos and duets were also highlights of the program.

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Libby Juice	Pineapple. 46 Oz. Can	34c
Apricots	Val Vita. Whole Unpl. No. 2½ Can	20c
Hershey Cocoa	½ Pound Package	10c
Bleached Raisins	15 Oz.	17c
Prunes	Large. Pound 17c Medium. 2 Pounds	28c
Calmyrna Figs	Pound Package	39c
Variety Cereals	Pkg. of 10	17½c
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Betty Crocker Soup	Mix. Pkg.	9c
Stokely Pumpkin	2½ Can	12½c
Sweet Potatoes	J-H-D No. 2½	17c
Asparagus	Primrose. 14½ Oz. Can	22c
Wax Paper	Saves All. 125 Ft. Roll	12½c
Sweetheart Soap	2 Bars	13c
Pard Dog Food	Dehy. Pkg.	10c
Ammonia	Hi-Tex. Quart Bottle	8½c
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Boiled Ham Wafer Sliced. No Waste. 10 Pts. Lb. **69c**

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PORK CHOPS Cut from Choice Small Loins. 8 Pts. Lb. **35c**

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POLLACK FILLETS	Lb.	25c
FLORIDA TROUT	Dressed. Pound	29c
COD FILLETS	Boneless Mild Lb.	43c
COD STEAKS	Dip and Fry. Lb.	32c
CISCOES	Wisconsin. Fry or Bake. Dressed. Lb.	18c
BABY MACKEREL	Lb.	22c
FRESH OYSTERS	Dry Pak. Pint	59c
TAMALES	Armours. Heat and Serve. 10½ Oz.	19c

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Blueberries	Natural Flavor. For Dessert. 12 Oz.	27c
Baked Beans	Prepared Boston Style. No Pts. Lb.	10c
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Fancy Spinach	Clean, Green, Tender Leaves. 14 Oz.	18c

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CHANGES MADE IN PERSONNEL AT RATION BOARD

New Chairman of Price Panel and Chief Clerk Are Installed

Miss Jean West has been promoted from panel and administrative clerk to the chief clerk of the county's War Price and Ration Board, filling the vacancy caused when Thomas Brown advanced to the regional administrative office of the OPA in Columbus, but the board chairman said that so far as the public was concerned there would be no change in regular routine or service when he made the announcement. Miss Emma Lou Straley, who has been in the office for some time and is familiar with rationing purposes and the board's policies, has been moved up to fill Miss West's place.

It was said that changes in personnel could be made now without upsetting the routine because the country's rationing machinery had been put in running order during the past two years of experience and was now functioning smoothly.

Some changes also have been made in the price panel of the board. Carey McConnaughey, manager of the Coca Cola Bottling Co. plant here, is now the chairman of the panel and Clarence Cooper, manager of the Producers Cooperative Association, is a new member. Also on the panel are Ralph V. Taylor, proprietor of the Home Appliance Co., Fred Enslen, proprietor of Enslen's Dot Food Store, and Gene Smith, auditor of the Wilson Hardware Store. Charles Orr resigned from the panel.

Although it has little direct contact with the public, the price panel is considered one of the keystones of the price control system and one of the main bulwarks against inflation.

Word has gone out from OPA headquarters in Washington that tire and tube rationing quotas for March show a slight increase over totals allowed to be distributed in February, but it was said at the office of the Ration Board here that no instructions had been received here yet. No other comment was made. It has not been the OPA policy to give allotment figures for individual board areas.

The report from Washington said:

"The new passenger tire quota for the U. S. was fixed at 691,025 tires, and increase of 45,975 over the February allotment.

"The March allotment will be distributed by local War Price and Rationing Boards on the new "occupational basis" which supplants the previous mileage basis for determining eligibility for tires. The most essential occupations will be granted preference in the issuance of tire certificates, regardless of monthly mileage."

NAZI GENERALS ARE EXECUTED, REPORT

STOCKHOLM, March 2—(AP)—The foreign affairs columnist of Aftonbladet said today three German generals had been executed after a courtmartial because they ordered a retreat recently in the Pskov section of Russia without orders from Adolf Hitler's headquarters.

Hitler and Heinrich Himmler, chief of the German Gestapo, were said to have made a special trip to Pskov in connection with the situation.

(Similar reports were heard last week in other capitals.)

Virtual Civil War Rages In France Under Nazis

(Editor's note—Taylor Henry, writer of the following dispatch, was chief of the Associated Bureau in Vichy at the time of the German occupation. He is now in Portugal awaiting repatriation after more than a year in German internment camps at Lourdes, France, and Baden-Baden, Germany.)

By TAYLOR HENRY

LISBON, Mar. 2—(AP)—Virtual civil war in France between partisans of the United Nations and German supporters has resulted in the death of thousands of collaborationist Frenchmen and members of the German Army of Occupation with only nominal casualties to the "Friends of America," as many of the partisans call themselves.

During the last six months, according to best available figures, this French terror has spelled death to at least 1,500 French police and militia, and half as many civilian collaborationists, and to between 1,500 and 2,000 German troops.

Widespread as these figures indicate the terrorist activity to be, it is nothing as compared with sabotage, one of the French patriots' main contributions to the United Nations war effort.

Latest round-number figures on sabotage indicate partisans have made 15,000 bomb attacks, 1,000 direct attacks against railroads carrying supplies and men for Germany, and some 750 attacks in various city halls to obtain food tickets and supplies for the growing terrorist organization.

Most of these have been individual attacks, and do not include the increasing warfare between organized terrorist troops and Joseph Darnand's French Gestapo, which has been responsible for execution of several hundred persons in the last few months.

One of the sore spots for French patriots with whom I talked on my way through France was the fact that while the Germans were executing French men and women who were fighting their country's battles against the occupation troops, Marshal Henri Petain in an official Vichy ceremony laid wreaths on the graves of German dead at the same he honored French soldiers killed in the fighting around Vichy in the last days of the war.

New courts martial installed in France under the Darnand police regime to carry out immediate executions have been only partly successful. In case after case well-organized partisans aided by friends in the official police released prisoners before the firing squad could carry out the sentence.

Held by Police

LEAVING COURT in Baltimore, Md., is Mrs. Louise J. Bozman after she had been held without bail on a charge of causing the death of her two children through willful neglect. They were found dead in bed, killed by gas escaping from open, unlighted burners. (International)

GREEK GUERILLAS KNOCK GERMAN TRAIN OFF TRACK

CAIRO, March 2—(AP)—Greek Guerrillas led by a British officer derailed a German troop train Feb. 22 near Mt. Olympus killing 400 Germans, a Nazi general and his staff, it was learned reliably today. Many others were injured.

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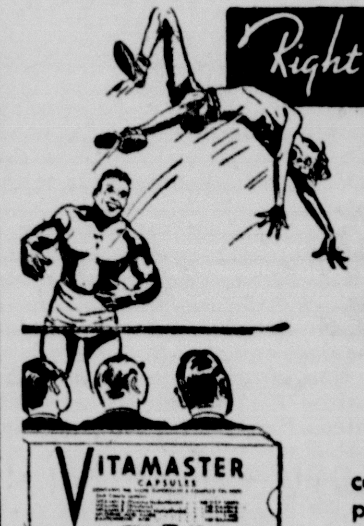

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Blue Lions Polish Attack For Tournament

The WHS Blue Lions cagers have been polishing up their offense this week in preparation for their first game in the central district tournament against Linden High School's basketeers Friday night at Delaware.

Coach George Miraben has been emphasizing scoring plays and their theme song might well be: "Drive For That Basket."

The Lions' defense has shown such improvement that the coach feels he is now justified in repeating over and over again to his boys that they can't win games without registering points and that they can't register points without shooting for the basket. However, he has stressed that wild shots can be costly—that is the reason he is "trying to get these boys to drive constantly for that basket."

The spirit of the squad is high, but the coach believes not too high for, he explains, "they realize that anything can happen in a tournament." He has pointed out to them that every team plays a different type of game from that used during the regular season and that "tournaments have a tendency to equalize and level-off all teams."

Linden-McKinley team has a record similar to that of the Lions. The big threat is a boy by the name of Perry Reall, who was the leading scorer of all Columbus high schools with an average, it is said, of 11 points per game with a so-so team.

Linden-McKinley will be sending its first team to a tournament; for this is its first year of interscholastic competition.

Coach Miraben and his boys agree the distance from home they will have to go to get to the tournament is "definitely against us" and point out that not only will the trip be wearing physically but also that "most of the schools are closer and will send large followings to support their teams." And, they added, that "having someone from the home town yelling encouragement and the more who can go from here the better we'll like it."

The squad making the trip will include Bill Rudduck, Bud Carlson, Roger Whitmore, Del Brandenburg, Jim Twining, Carroll Steele, Wayne Rudduck, Dan O'Brien, Jim Liso and Don Graves. Bill Parker, who has been out of school the past two weeks, will be among the missing. Bob Kelly will go as the manager.

Because of wartime travel restrictions, the two coaches, Miraben and Jerry Kissell, will take the boys in their cars.

If they win their opener against Linden-McKinley, the Lions will face their next tournament opponent—probably Newark, last year's state champions and picked to repeat this year—Saturday night. However, the boys will come home Friday night after the game and go back, if necessary, Saturday.

The coaches are not overly optimistic but they agreed that "if the boys play the brand of ball they did in the last three games, we have a better-than-average chance of sticking in the tournament."

Intramural Cage League All Set for Sixth Round

The Bloody Bucketeers were still perched atop the WHS Intramural League heap and the eight teams headed down the home stretch for the finish.

With a record of five wins and no defeats, the Bucketeers were all set for the Powderpuffs, the only team in the loop that has not yet won a game, on the high school floor Thursday evening in the sixth round of the schedule. Their game is last on the slate for the four-game evening's program.

The curtain will be lifted by a battle between the Flying Tigers, who have won four and lost one, and the Hot Shots, who have won three and lost two. This is expected to provide the hottest competition of the round, with the second game between the Dribblers and Rocks counted on to furnish almost as much fireworks. The Bulldogs and Jive Five will tangle in the third game.

Steve Kellough of the Bucketeers held a four-point lead over Bob Denton of the Tigers for individual scoring honors in the first games. Close on their heels was Dowler of the Hot Shots with Moyer of the Bucketeers and Shaw of the Jive Five on even terms behind them.

The Intra-Mural League is made up of two teams for each of the high school classes coached by members of the varsity and reserve squad under the watchful eyes of Coaches Jerry Kissell and eorge Miraben. Students also officiate at the games while the coaches keep the scores.

The team and individual scoring standings follow:

League Standing

Teams	W	L	Pct.
Bucketeers	5	0	1.000
Tigers	4	1	.800
Bulldogs	3	2	.500
Hotshots	3	2	.500
Jive Five	2	3	.400
Dribblers	2	3	.400
Rocks	1	4	.200
Powderpuffs	0	5	.000

Leading Scorers

Player-team	Points
Kellough, Bucketeers	43
Denton, Tigers	39
Dowler, Hotshots	36
Moyer, Bucketeers	29
Shaw, Jive Five	29

—Spying— On Sports

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, March 2.—(AP)—Don't hold your breath waiting for this latest Dodger "deal" to go through. . The word is that the prospective purchasers won't make up their minds whether they're interested or not until they see all the figures—and it was those telephone numbers with a dollar sign in front that scared Max Meyer out. . . Do you suppose the reason you hear so much about buying ball clubs these days is that there's more chance of getting a club than of the clubs buying a good player?

Today's Guest Star

Don Donaghey, Philadelphia Evening Bulletin: "The Atlantic Pines Race Track promoters have made a keen choice of site for their venture. They stand a chance of excavating enough priceless old golf balls to pay for the plant."

Shorts and Shells

Jack Sharkey, en route from the war zone, told service men in Puerto Rico that maneuvering through Times Square on New Year's Eve is a cinch compared to bucking traffic in Italy. . . "They are really busy over there and you've never seen so much traffic," said Jack. . . Wonder if he remembers now thick the one-way glove traffic was the night the fought Jack Dempsey? . . . Ank Scanlan and Lud Wray, who split up the grid coaching duties at Holy Cross last fall, now have split up, period. . . in 15-year-old Joe Nuxhall, who won't report until high school lets out, the Reds believe they have the youngest player ever to sign a major league baseball contract. Mel Ott and Waite Hoyt started at 16. . . In 1933, the Reds had the oldest, Jack Quinn, then 47.

By Any Other Name

Ed Staples, Branch Rickey's handy man, was lunching in a Brooklyn restaurant the other day and discoursing at considerable length on the Cardinals. . . As he rose to leave, the waiter asked: "Excuse me, suh, do you come from St. Louis?" . . . Staples admitted the charge. . . The waiter grinned: "Is your name by any chance Dean—Dizzy Dean?"

War Boomer May Invest In Dodgers

By LEROY ATKINSON

BOSTON, March 2 —(AP)— A radio-tinker man, who ran a two-by-four repair shop into a million dollar war industry now operating in the shadow of Boston's Fenwary Park—home of the Boston Red Sox—may purchase the controlling interest in the fabulous Brooklyn Dodgers.

He is 225-pound, five-foot, eight-inch Theodore Roosevelt McElroy, who, according to reports out of New York, is heading a group of baseball fans and businessmen in negotiations aiming toward purchase of the "Bums."

McElroy could not be reached immediately for comment but associates said he is "considering the deal."

Here in Boston Ted is a favorite with newspapermen, particularly the sports writers. For years before he began to invent radio gadets, which reputedly blossomed into a $4,500,000 war contract business this year, he was a telegraph operator. He used to sit in the press box tapping out the Morse Code of the play-by-play action for baseball editions.

Should McElroy gain control of the Dodgers, the Ebbets Field gang will have a head-man after their own hearts. A man whose war plant operates under a vast sign proclaiming:

"The world's best telegraph apparatus manufactured by the world's champion radio telegrapher."

Back in 1922 he set a record of 56½ words per minute for three minutes without an error and only a few days ago he received the Marconi Memorial Award of achievement at the Annual Veteran Wireless Operators' Dinner in New York.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)

ELIZABETH, N. J. — Buddy Farrell, 159¼, Newark, N. J., outpointed Freddie Wilson, 159½, New York (6); Johnny Price, 140, Montreal, outpointed Eddie Cooper, 135, New York (6).

OAKLAND, Calif.—John Thomas, 136, Los Angeles, outpointed Jimmy McAllister, 131, Baltimore (10); Willie Cheatum, 137, New York, Lincoln Stanley, 146, Oakland, draw (8).

ROOM AND BOARD By Gene Ahern

SUN AGAIN WIDENER FAVORITE

By BERT COLLIER

MIAMI, Fla., March 2.—(AP)—When Ben A. Jones says it looks like Sun Again Again, the cautious Calumet Farm trainer is not indulging in double talk.

He is merely indicating that his five-year-old horse Sun Again continues to show the form that brought victory in the $7,500 McLennan week before last and has given him the role of favorite in the $25,000 Widener at Hialeah Park Saturday.

Jones doesn't say Sun Again will win. He never goes out on a limb like that. But he does declare the horse is "as fit as can be" and has called for a few easy workouts to keep him on edge for the rich climax event of the Hialeah season.

The chestnut offspring of Sun Teddy and Hug Again had a way of developing ailments before big races in his early days. As a three-year-old he rated high in the pre-Kentucky Derby picture, then faded because of injuries and had a disappointing season.

Just before the McLellan, Jones announced the horse had returned to his pre-Derby form and was running better than at any time in two years.

He had taken a prep sprint and finished second in his winter debut after earning $27,100 in 1943.

Sun Again stepped out in the McLellan and beat a field that included several of his Widener rivals.

Big Ten Race Near Decision

CHICAGO, March 2.—(AP)—The Big Ten basketball race will be settled Friday and Saturday—and northwestern's Wildcats will do most of the "settling."

If the Cats, weakened by the loss of Otto Graham and more recently by the departure of Nick Vodick, Jerry Carle and John Ward, can win just one of their two-game set with Iowa at Iowa City, Ohio State will have its first undisputed Conference crown since Jimmy Hull led the Buckeyes to national honors in 1939.

The Hawkeyes (8-2) must win both to tie Ohio (10-2) for the crown, but the Wildcats loom as potential spoilers. Knocked from a possible tie themselves by Illinois last Friday, the Northwestern five came back to smash Purdue (8-3) 51 to 45 Saturday, and remove Boilermaker hopes for a slice of the championship cake.

Ex-Champion In War Work

LOS ANGELES, March 2.—(AP)—Eleven years ago Baby Face Jimmy McLarnin, as Irish as the Harp of Tara's Halls, knocked out Young Corbett III of Fresno, California, and won the welterweight championship of the world.

Today Jimmy is still swinging punches, but they are aimed at the Axis. Independently wealthy, the genial and smiling veteran of the prize ring, who once dug clams for a living and later retired from boxing in 1936 with a goodly share of the $200,000 he earned, is one of the men behind the gun.

McLarnin works for an airplane specialties concern in Hollywood. He puts in a full day but whatever spare time he finds usually is devoted to his new love, golf. He's a four handicap man.

Bob Montgomery Goes Overweight

NEW YORK, March 2.—(AP)—Bob Montgomery was two pounds over the 135-pound lightweight limit when he finished heavy training for his title bout with Champion Beau Jack Friday night at Madison Square Garden.

Jack stepped four rounds in the gymnasium and tipped the beam at 134½. The champ is a 5 to 12 favorite.

GIVE MORE . . IN FORTY-FOUR

ARCARO COURTING LADY LUCK AS HE SEEKS HIALEAH PARK HONORS ON FOUR FREEDOMS

By BERT COLLIER

MIAMI, Fla., March 2—(AP)—If little Eddie Arcaro boots home the winner in the $25,000 Widener Saturday to round out a Hialeah Park grand slam, he probably will be the only one to insist it is merely a matter of luck.

"I'll have to get the breaks," declared the jockey who was under the wire first last Saturday with the outsider, Stir Up, in the $15,000 Flamingo, Florida's three-year-old feature which shares with the Widener top billing of a Hialeah Park meeting.

Arcaro's triumph was a continuation of victories in 1942 when he brought in Requested in the Flamingo and followed with a win on The Rhymer in the Widener, the Park's handicap headliner. Neither winner was a public choice. The events were not run last season when a ban on pleasure driving kept the park closed.

Arcaro says his mount in the big race Saturday, Greentree Stable's Four Freedoms, is "not a class thoroughbred," but he has done all right with the big brown son of Peace Chance, which he booted to a victory in the Palm Beach handicap this year and to a close second in the $7,500 McClennan two weeks ago. The jockey thinks his prospects are fairly good to make it four top Hialeah stake races in a row.

Calumet Farm's Sun Again, which out ran Four Freedoms in the McLennan, rates the favorite's spot and will have the advantage of a ride by Ted Atkinson, leading jockey of the Florida season.

GREMLINS HOLD LEAD

The Gremlins lengthened their lead in the API Women's League in Wednesday night's bowling on the Main Street alleys when they took all three games from the Spitfires.

The Aeronauts, pressing toward the front but still quite a way back, made a clean sweep of their match with the B-19s.

The Lowly Gliders, getting tough in their cellar, spoiled any hopes the P-38s might have had for winning all their games, by knocking off the first one by a substantial margin before they went into a tailspin and dropped the last two--the middle one in a roll-off.

Spitfires	1	2	3	T
D. Boyd	162	144	135	441
J. Reisinger	107	93	100	300
M. Roseboom	83	81	109	273
M. Purvis	89	81	98	268
B. Baughn	82	155	105	342
Sub Total	523	554	547	1624
Handicap	92	92	92	276
Totals	615	646	639	1900

Gremlins	1	2	3	T
F. Andrews	139	118	109	366
D. Coffman	98	117	152	367
M. Porter	135	147	113	395
M. Graves	124	131	137	392
J. Arnold	108	136	92	336
Sub Total	604	649	603	1856
Handicap	116	116	116	348
Totals	720	765	719	2204

B—19	1	2	3	T
I. Shaw (Blind)	86	86	86	258
Story (Blind)	101	101	101	303
J. Griffith	98	155	86	339
C. Boren	112	156	153	421
C. Graves	118	124	158	400
Sub Total	515	622	584	1721
Handicap	121	121	121	363
Totals	636	743	705	2084

Aeronauts	1	2	3	T
P. Hill	90	124	101	315
P. Anscnutz	101	108	98	307
E. West	124	132	134	390
B. Brown	166	168	143	477
W. Brown	122	88	161	371
Sub Total	603	620	637	1860
Handicap	125	125	125	375
Totals	728	745	762	2235

P—38	1	2	3	T
Snyder	103	142	143	388
J. Fife	104	115	188	407
J. Graves	114	97	121	332
M. Conway (Blind)	81	81	81	243
M. Coons	93	100	61	254
Sub Total	495	535	594	1624
Handicap	115	115	115	345
Totals	610	650	709	1969

Gliders	1	2	3	T
Coe	81	81	82	244
Russell	91	91	96	278
Burden	149	129	137	415
Long	162	125	63	350
Litz	103	107	155	365
Sub Total	586	533	533	1652
Handicap	117	117	117	350
Totals	703	650	650	2003

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PLATTER POINTED FOR DERBY

By FRANK ECK

NEW YORK — Remember to use two T's when you mention Platter's name because big things are expected of the colt, regarded as one of the finest horses ever owned by George D. Widener, Philadelphia sportsman.

The son of Pilate-Let's Dance by Jack High gave assurances last fall that he's a real stretch runner when he copped both the Pimlico Futurity and the Walden Stakes.

And what's more, Platter, now being readied to make his 1944 debut in the Wood Memorial Stakes at Jamaica in April, may have a running mate in Lucky Draw when the bugle sounds for the 70th Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs on May 6. Lucky Draw won three New York stake races as a two-year-old last spring.

"Platter should be greatly improved this year," says Conn McCreary, the husky little 23-year-old who hopes to pilot the Widener hope. "He was slow coming around last season, but when he did find himself he trounced 'em all."

He did beat some good ones but not all of them. After trailing such crack juveniles as Occupy, Pukka Gin, Pensive and Weyanoke in his few starts, Platter waited until last November to graduate when he trounced By Jiminy. In his next start, the Walden, he turned back Royal Prince and Director J. E.

Platter, 8 to 1 in the Derby future book, at present is listed as the second choice with Pukka Gin, Lt. Col. C. V. Whitney's star, as the favorite at 6 to 1.

Platter won $50,150 last season while finishing in the money five times in his seven starts and he really didn't have one bad race against his record.

LAUSCHE DIRECTOR

CLEVELAND, March 2.—(AP)—John E. Lokar announced he would resign as secretary to Mayor Frank J. Lausche, candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, to direct Lausche's campaign.

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TERMS: Personal property will be sold for cash.

JOHN R. BEACHAM, Executor

of the estate of Lydia Charlton

Miller and Finney, Attorneys.

Sale conducted by The Bailey-Murphy Co., Wilmington, Ohio, and Carl Taylor

Markets and Finance

GRAIN MARKET NEWS SUMMARY

CHICAGO, March 2—AP—All grains continued their slow climb today under the leadership of rye, which advanced as much as a cent at times. Dealings continued light and most of the activity was provided by local traders, although there was a little mill buying in wheat shortly after the opening.

Buying of rye appeared based on hopes the War Food Administration would succeed in its efforts to have some of this grain used in industrial alcohol production. There were reports of some wheat flour sales to the family trade. Oats lagged at the start but came ahead with other grains toward the close. Corn bookings expanded from the comparatively low level of preceding days this week.

Closing prices were at the day's highs. Wheat finished ⅜-¾ higher, May $1.71⅛; oats were up ¼-1¼, May 70⅝, rye was ahead ¾-1⅛, May $1.28⅞-$1.29, and deferred deliveries of barley were ⅛-⅜ higher, July $1.19⅜.

GRAIN CLOSE

CHICAGO, March 2—AP—

Wheat—May $1.71⅛; July $1.68-$1.68⅛.

Oats—May 80⅝; July 77¼-⅛.

Rye—May $1.28⅞-$1.29; July $1.27¾-$1.28.

Barley—May $1.22-; July $1.19⅜.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, May 2—AP— Wheat, sample grade hard $1.63⅜.

Corn, sample grade yellow $1.10-$1.10⅝.

Barley, malting $1.25-$1.44½ nom.; feed $1.15-$1.22½ nom.

Field seed per 100 lb., timothy $5.75-$6.00 nom.; red top $14.00-$15.00 nom.; red clover $31.50 nom.; sweet clover $10.50 nom.

CINCINNATI PRODUCE

CINCINNATI, March 2—AP—Butter butter fat, premium 46c, regular 44c.

Eggs, wholesale grades, cases included extras No. 1 and 2 33c, extras No. 3 and 4 32c; standards 31c; current receipts 30c; consumer graded 100 per cent candled grade A large 24 oz. up white and brown 35c; mediums 31c; grade B large white and brown 33c; mediums white and brown 30c.

Fowls, colored 5½ lbs. and over 24½c-26c, 4 to 5½ lbs. 24½c-26½c, under 4 lbs. 24½c-26½c; Leghorn over 3 lbs. 21c-23c; 4 lbs. and over 24½c-26½c.

Broilers, rocks and colored under 3 lbs. 28c-30c; fryers 3 to 4 lbs. 28c-80c; roasters 4 to 5½ lbs. 28c-30c, 5½ lbs. and over 28c-30c; ducks, spring white under 56 lbs. 25c-27c, 5½ lbs. and over 25c-27c; geese, young 25½c-27½c.

Turkeys, on foot wholesale, young hens under 18 lbs. 35½c-37½c; young toms under 18 lbs. 35½c-37½c; 18-22 lbs. 34c-36c; 22 lbs. and over 33c-35c; old toms 18-22 lbs. 32c-34c; 22 lbs. and over 31c-33c.

Potatoes 100 lb. bags U. S. 1 $2.25-$3.75.

(tub lots): creamery as to score 45¾c;

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN

Wheat No. 2 red	$1.61
Corn, yellow	$1.10
Soybeans	$1.80

BUTTER - EGGS - POULTRY

Cream	50c
Eggs	Doz. 29c
Heavy hens	lb. 22c
Leghorn hens	lb. 20c
Old Roosters	lb. 15c
Young Chickens	lb. 24c

LIVESTOCK MARKETS

(Fayette Stock Yards)

WASHINGTON C. H., March 2—

Hogs—

200-240 lbs. $13.60; 140-300 lbs. $13.60; 330-400 lbs. $12.50; 180-200 lbs. $13.40; 160-180 lbs. $12.75; 150-160 lbs. $11.50; 140-150 lbs. $11.00; 130-140 lbs. $10.50; 120-130 lbs. $10.00.

Sows—$12.00 down.

WASHINGTON C. H., March 2—(Union Stock Yards Sale, Wednesday)

Cattle receipts 312 head. Very active and higher market on all classes offered. Top $15.50 for fat 1150 lb. steers, bulk better grades $14 to $15.25-common and medium grades $12 to $13.75, cuttery grades lower. Top cows $11.60 bulk fat cows $9 to $11. Canners and cutters $6 to $8.50. Top bulls $11.70, bulk $9 to $11.

Calf receipts 57 head. Top calves at $16.45; medium calves at $13.70 down; thin and common calves at $12.00 and down.

Hog receipts 868 head. 200-300 lbs. at $13.75; 300-330 lbs. at $13.70; 180-200 lbs. at $13.65; 160-180 lbs. at $13.45; top treated shoats $13.00; 150-160 lbs. at $12.25 down; 140-150 lbs. at $11.80; under 140 lbs. at $11.65 and down; sows at $12.30 and down; stags $10.40 and down; boars at $7.00 and down.

Lambs receipts 275 head. No choice lambs on sale, top $16.00; medium lambs at $15.50; thin and common $11 down; good slaughter ewes at $7.00 down.

CINCINNATI, March 2—AP—(WFA)—Hogs 2200; 180-300 lb. 10c off; others and sows steady.

Cattle 450, calves 250; slow, slaughter kind about steady; asking prices firm; demand spotted; few good steers and hefers $14.75-$15.50; weights 700-850 lb. and medium and good mixed 700 lb. yearlings $14.25, mostly heifers; several loads and lots steers and heifers held $15.00 up; early top bulls $11.50; vealers steady, good and choice $16.00-$17.00.

Sheep 100, scarce, small lots lambs fully steady; package good 90 lb. averages $15.50.

CHICAGO, March 2—AP—(WFA)—Hogs 34,000; slow, weak on all weights; sows steady; good and choice 200-330 lb. $13.75-80; top $13.85; good and choice 170-190 lb. $12.75-$13.65; medium to good 160-190 lb. $11.00-$13.00; good and choice 350-550 lb. sows $13.10-.35, choice lighter weights slightly higher; approximately 6,000 unsold.

Cattle 5,000; calves 800; very active market on all classes and grades; strong to 25c up, mostly 10-15c higher all through list; clearance good; medium grade steers and heifers predominated; nothing strictly choice here; few loads good to low-choice steers $15.75-$16.40; latter price top; both local and outside demand broad

DAY'S ACTIVITIES IN WALL STREET

NEW YORK, March 2—AP—Buyers took on a fair amount of specialties in today's stock market, lifting some of these to new 1944 peaks, but ignored many leaders.

Selective improvement was evident at the start and, while small declines were plentiful near the fourth hour, gains of fractions to a point or so were well distributed. Dealings slackened after a moderately active opening.

at medium steers selling at $13.00-$14.00; best heifers $15.25, bulk $12.50-$14.00; cutter cosw $8.00 down with strong weights to $8.25; beef cows very active at $8.75-$11.50; weighty sausage bull to $11.85, scarcity weighty bulls continued; vealers firm at $15.00 down; stock cattle comparatively scarce, but slow.

Sheep 8,500; very few early sales, asking stronger or around $16.35-50 for most good and choice fed western lambs, most packer bids $16.00 on good and choice lambs or in line with bids Wednesday; deck good but not choice lambs sold $16.00; deck common to medium light burry lambs $13.50; nothing down on sheep.

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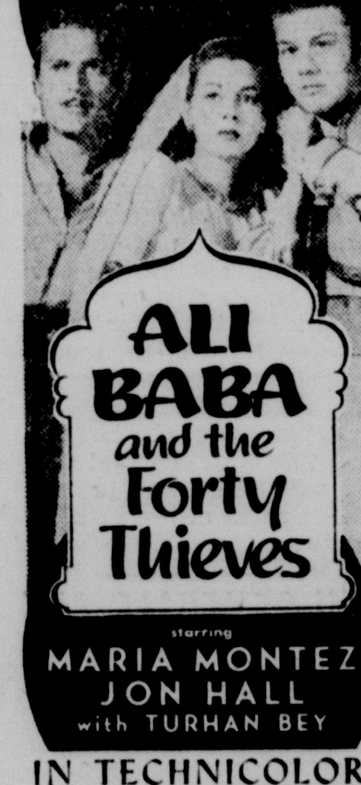

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12. Custom
13. Level
14. Joins
15. Storage place
16. Portions of curved lines
17. Niton (chem.)
18. Like
19. Big
20. Poem
21. Royal seat
23. Fish
24. Food refuse
25. Greek letter
26. Scrutinize
28. Select
31. Old weight for wool
32. Worry
33. Expression
34. Exclamation of pleasure
35. Sharp nail
36. Disfigure
37. Regain possession
39. Finest
40. Eat away
41. Waste land (Eng.)
42. Turn aside through fear
43. Alleviate

DOWN

1. Jewish month
2. Rich
3. Baking chamber
4. Enclosure
5. Half an em
6. Simpleton
7. Goddess (Egypt.)
8. Cistern
9. Things to be done
10. Settled in a nest
14. Incite
16. One's father's sister
19. Cornucopia
20. State
22. Highway
23. Conjecture
25. Exclamation of disgust
26. Gazed
27. Stick together
28. Stuff
29. Kind of daisy
30. Worldly
32. Scoff
35. Give over
36. Ground grain
38. Speck
39. Babylonian god
41. Exclamation

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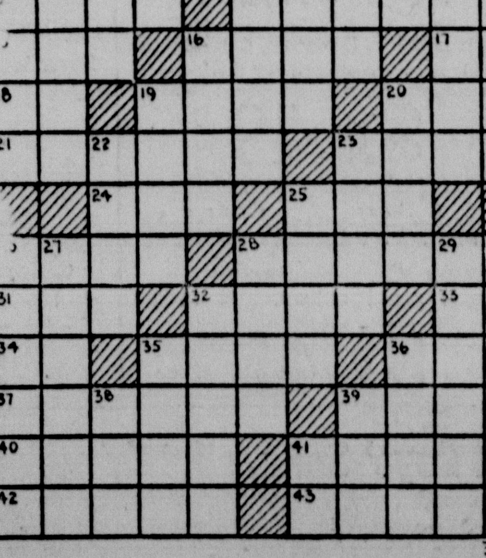

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CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: FOND MEMORY BRINGS THE LIGHT OF OTHER DAYS AROUND ME—MOORE.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN APPRECIATION

We wish to sincerely thank our friends, neighbors, the Boy Scouts and the local fire department for their kind assistance at our fire on Sunday morning.

MR. and MRS. JAMES GARRINGER

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NOTICE

If your name appears alone among the classified ads, bring it to the office of this newspaper and you will receive a guest ticket. See ad on market page.

Lost—Found—Strayed 3

LOST—Spitz pup, finder return to DANNY MILLER, 1004 East Temple St. Reward. 26

LOST—Sterling silver identification bracelet, engraved with "Carl Gulick" on one side and "Jane" on back. Reward if returned to Record-Herald or to JANE GULICK, 704 East Market Street. 26

LOST—White fox terrier pup, answers to name of Spat. Return to FRED VOSS, Orvilla Ave. 24

G. B. VANCE

LOST—T gas rationing stamps, return to WILLARD BENNETT, 928 S. Hinde Street. 26

LOST—Hub cap for Hudson auto. Reward. Call 20296. 25

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OPEN FOR CUSTOM BUTCHERING Sanitary place. HARLAND MELVIN phone 27341. 1tf

I AM NOW LOCATED AT and operating Shell Service Station, corner Columbus Ave. and Delaware St.

URSA THORNHILL

Phone 21911

NOTICE

The following named men are no longer employed by the Try-Me Taxi:

Clarence Christman
Roscoe Riley
J. N. Ramey
Brady Howard

Wanted To Rent 7

WANTED—4 or 5 room house, not far out, have references, by March 1. Write Box I. M., care Record-Herald. 26

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WANTED—Cattle dehorning, bull ringing and castrating, equipped with crate and tools. J. W. SMITH, phone 26524. 18tf

WANTED—Plowing. Phone 5961, EARL AILLS. 10tf

MRS. O. A. WEST

WANTED—Cess pool and vault cleaning. Work guaranteed, sanitary equipment. Phone 26021. 25

WANTED—Custom butchering, phone J. W. Smith 26524. 264tf

WANTED

People to listen to Sam Morris over Station WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 6:30 A. M. each week day.

Also

G. F. Norman over WING, Dayton, Ohio, Sunday morning 7 o'clock, Sunday evening 11:30 o'clock.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale 10

FOR SALE—1940 Ford straight type truck, 10-ply tires, good condition (new motor). 727 East Market Street, phone 4021. 28

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JUST RECEIVED

Large Shipment Tires

450x21
475x19
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600x16

Bring your tire certificates

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PIANO TUNER—H. C. FORTIER Phone evenings 4781.

AUCTIONEER

W. O. BUMGARNER, Phone 4501 or Evenings 26794 270tf

Approximately 94,000 dental patients in the Army are seen each day.

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First Class Work
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Agricultural Limestone orders placed on file with us will be delivered and spread according to the date received.

ALSO

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EMPLOYMENT

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NEW DEVELOPMENT program. Average order pays $19.00 commission. No priority needed. Sell the most needed maintenance specialty to manufacturing plants, institutions, and farmers. Depression proof. Enjoy fine income now and be ready for after the war adjustment. Chance to become outside salesmanager. President, 9915 Harvard Ave., Cleveland, Ohio. 25

GEORGE TRIMMER

WANTED—Young man or woman to work Aeronautical Products Inc., 3:15 to 4:45 o'clock A. M., six days per week selling eats and drinks, good pay. This will not interfere with regular work. Address JOHN B. STABLETON, 405 North St., Greenfield, Ohio. 27

A RENTER wanted with own help. Farm 200 acres on thirds. References P. O. Box 195, Jamestown, Ohio. 27

WANTED—Experienced farm hand for large farm near Wooster, customary privileges, electricity and water in house, straight time. References required. Phone 5101, New Holland. DR. L. M. TARBILL. 27

WANTED—A housekeeper, family of one, good wages. Call 9471. 24tf

WANTED—High School boy to work after school and Saturdays. RED and WHITE FOOD MARKET. 26

WANTED — Experienced farmhand, references required, good tenant house, customary privileges, steady work. Phone 4242, Jeffersonville. 23tf

WANTED—Fence builders by the rod and hour. FARM MANAGEMENT INC. Call 9193 evenings. 28

WANTED—Day Porter. HOTEL WASHINGTON. 17tf

HELP WANTED—Maid. HOTEL WASHINGTON. 17tf

WANTED

SALESLADIES

One for ladies' ready to wear, one for basement.

MONTGOMERY WARD

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FOR SALE—1 McCormick-Deering 10-ft power binder, 3 miles southwest of Jamestown. RAY SULTON. 27

FOR SALE—John Deere, 2 14-inch tractor plow. Phone 20291. 24tf

FOR SALE—Massey-Harris standard three-plow tractor, excellent condition. FRANK P. MILNER, Leesburg, Ohio, phone 1681. 27

FOR SALE—One 12-inch Oliver tractor plow, phone 24851 or see plow at farm on White Pike. 25

SEE OUR SOW HOUSES before you buy. More for the money. WARD'S FARM STORE. 25

FOR SALE—Massey-Harris 2-bottom tractor on steel wheels with corn plows. Phone 3731, Bloomingburg. 17tf

FOR SALE—Farmall regular tractor. Call 3266, Milledgeville. 9tf

Hay-Grain-Feed 26

FOR SALE—Hay and straw. EARL AILLS, phone 5961. 29

FOR SALE—1000 bales wheat straw. Call 2732 or 5403 Bloomingburg. 297tf

FOR SALE

Allis Chalmers tractor, rubber and steel wheels, power-lift cultivator, one John Deere No. 52 breaking plow, almost new. McCormick Big 6 mower, Oliver corn planter, flat bed wagon with wood wheels. John Deere 7-ft. disc harrow.

ROBERT BROOKOVER

Phone 53X8, Greenfield

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Team of bay draft colts, 3 years old. T. P. RICHARDS, Leesburg, 1996. 26

FOR SALE—Attention: 4-H Club members, registered Aberdeen Angus cattle, high grade young bull and heifer calves. MOTEL FARMS, Vandalia, Ohio, see Mr. Baldwin. 28

FOR SALE—25 horses at private sale, mostly draft. OS BRIGGS, Arlington Hotel, Washington C. H. 15tf

FOR SALE—Purebred Hampshire boars and Guernsey bull calves. HARDIN FARM. Phone 20498. 243tf

Poultry-Eggs-Supplies 28

We Will Have Shipment of

White Rocks, White Leghorns and some Barred Rocks, on Tuesdays and Fridays. Each week beginning March 3, we will book your order for you at any time. Save money and time by coming to

WARD'S FARM STORE

MISCELLANEOUS

Household Goods 35

FOR SALE—Singer Sewing machine in A-1 condition. Call 31282 or 629 Peabody Avenue. 26

GUY UNDERWOOD

ONE ANTIQUE bedroom suite. Can be seen at THOMPSON'S TRANSFER. 26

FOR SALE—2 hole white enameled kitchen coal range; folding bed. Phone 29102. 25

Just Received — Shipment
KITCHEN CABINETS
and
CABINET BASES
$21.95 up

MONTGOMERY WARD

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FOR SALE—1 used Taylor Tot; 1 small breakfast set. 301 North Fayette Street. 27

FOR SALE—Brooder house (8x10) coal oil stove, in good shape. Call 20334 evenings after 6 P. M. 26

FOR SALE—8x10 brooder house; Zenith battery radio, 1,000-hour battery. Call 29625. 25

FOR SALE—Child's all metal crib with springs (32x54) in perfect condition. Phone New Holland 2787. 22tf

FOR SALE—2 ricks of mixed hay. HARRY KIMMEY, phone 29328. 17tf

FOR SALE—Wallpaper, 500 patterns to pick from. Painting, paper hanging, roofing and siding. Phone 9961 or call 430 South Fayette Street. 17tf

NOTICE

Factory Workers and Farmers

Just received large shipment

Safety Toe Shoes

Hi-cuts or oxfords.

MONTGOMERY WARD

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FOR SALE—Electric portable 1943 model victrola, 35 popular records included, $35.00 cash. 105 West Elm St., city. 27

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SLEEPING ROOM. 216 East Paint Street. 13tf

FOR RENT—Sleeping room. Phone 20136, next house to API. 296tf

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SEE ANDY GIDDING for farms or city property. 114 West Market Street. Phone 4731. 257tf

Farms For Sale 49

FARMS FOR SALE—100 acres, 7 room house, furnace, electricity, large barn, other buildings. All buildings in first class condition. Well fenced, land productive, located on a hard surface road. 62 acres, good buildings, electricity available, good land, well fenced and well located. Immediate possession. O. A. WIKLE. 26

50 FAYETTE COUNTY farms from 3 to 500 acres and 200 farms in adjoining counties. These are all extra good farms, come and see for yourself. Also 5, modern five and six room homes and many other residence properties. BEN JAMISON. 1tf

House For Sale 50

FOR SALE—4 rooms and bath, closed in back porch, storm doors, good roof and house newly papered, large lot and several fruit trees. Will sell reasonably due to the fact moving to country. Phone 5391. 27

PUBLIC SALES

FRIDAY, MARCH 3

EVERETT AICHOLTZ—Closing Out Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment, 3 miles west of Greenfield and 3 miles east of East Monroe on Route 28, 10 o'clock.
J. D. Ross, auctioneer.

DWIGHT GRIMSLEY—Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment on the Clark's Run Road, 4 miles southeast of Mt. Sterling, 3 miles west of Five Points and 4 miles northwest of Waterloo, 12 o'clock.
W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4

RAYMOND SHELEY—Closing Out Farm Sale, 3 miles north of Sabina, 8 miles south of Milledgeville on State Route 729, beginning promptly at 12:30 o'clock.
Col. Carl Taylor, auctioneer.

ALMA LANGFORD—Sale of Household Goods, 620 East Paint Street, Washington C. H., 1:30 P. M.
George Martin, auctioneer.

MONDAY, MARCH 6

EXECUTOR'S SALE—Burch Wolfe and Dessie Brown, Executors, estate of Daisy Wolfe, 3 acres improved with good house, barn and outbuildings, together with household goods. Located just off North North Street (State Route 70) on Hickory Lane Road, Washington C. H., 1 P. M.
Sale conducted by The Bailey-Murphy Co.

FOREST RIPLEY—Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment, 3 miles east of Springfield, 1 mile west of Harmony on State Route 40, 11 o'clock.
Weikert and Gordon, auctioneers.

TUESDAY, MARCH 7

EXECUTOR'S SALE—Lydia Charlton property and household goods, located at 448 South Monroe Street, Xenia, 12:30 P. M.
Sale conducted by The Bailey-Murphy Co.

WILLIAM NORMAN—Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment, 2 miles southeast of Frankfort, 1 mile southeast of Roxabel, 10 o'clock.
Donald Swepston, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, MARCH 10

LEO ANDERSON—Sale of Farm Equipment and Livestock on the Clark Hunsicker Farm at Woodlyn, 1 mile south of Williamsport, 12 o'clock.
C. G. Chaflin, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, MARCH 24

MRS. J. C. HUGHES—Closing Out Sale of Farm Equipment and Livestock, 5 miles southeast of Washington C. H. on Bogus Road, 12 o'clock.
M. W. Eckle, auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29

J. W. HOPKINS—Closing Out Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment, 2½ miles south of Madison Mills on the Post Road, 1 P. M.
M. W. Eckle, auctioneer.

Radio Programs

THURSDAY
(Eastern War Time)

6:00—WLW, Novachord Pleasure
WKRC, News, McCarthy
6:15—WLW, News
WKRC, Waite Hoyt, Sports
6:30—WLW, Lum and Abner
WKRC, Dinner Serenade
6:45—WLW, Lowell Thomas, News
WKRC, Fulton Lewis, News
WBNS, I Love a Mystery
7:00—WLW, Fred Waring
7:15—WLW, News
WHKC, Johnson Family
WBNS, Orchestra
7:30—WLW, Lion Roars
WKRC, News, McCarthy
WKRC, Confidentially Yours
WBNS, Easy Aces
7:45—WLW, H. V. Kaltenborn, News
WBNS, Mr. Keen
8:00—WLW Maxwell House
WKRC, News
WBNS, Mary Astor, Charles Ruggles
8:30—WLW, Aldrich Family
WKRC, News; Coast Guard
WBNS, Death Valley Days
9:00—WLW, Music Hall
WKRC, Gabriel Heatter
WBNS, Major Bowes
WKRC, News
9:30—WLW, Joan Davis and Jack Haley
WKRC, Tell 'em Club
WBNS, Dinah Shore
10:00—WLW, Abbott and Costello
WKRC, News, Ray Clapper
WBNS, The First Line
10:15—WKRC, Starlight Serenade
10:30—WLW, To be announced
WKRC, Fulton Lewis, Jr.
WBNS, News
10:45—WBNS, Nite Club
11:00—WLW, News
WKRC, News
11:15—WLW, Gregor Ziemer
WBNS, Geer Parkinson
WKRC, Fulton Lewis
WBNS, Geer Parkinson
11:30—WBNS, Music You Want
11:45—WLW, Orchestra
WBNS, Dance Orchestra
12:00—WLW, Wally Johnson, News
WKRC, News, Sports
WBNS, Open House, News

FRIDAY
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WKRC, Dance Orchestra
WBNS, Mr. Keen
8:00—WLW, Earl Goodwin
WKRC, Cal Tinney
WBNS, Kate Smith
8:15—WKRC, Dance Orchestra
8:30—WLW, Hit Parade
WKRC, Sherlock Holmes
8:45—WKRC, Silver Strings
WKRC, Gabriel Heatter
WBNS, The Playhouse
9:00—WLW, Waltz Time
9:15—WKRC, War Correspondent
9:30—WLW, People Are Funny
WKRC, Double or Nothing
WBNS, That Brewster Boy
10:00—WLW, Amos and Andy
WKRC, News
WBNS, Jimmy Durante
10:30—WLW, Bill Stern's Sports Newsreel
10:45—WLW, Coronet Little Show
11:00—WLW, News
WKRC, News
WBNS, News
11:15—WLW, Gregor Ziemer
WKRC, Supper Club
WBNS, Nite Club
11:30—WLW, Dance Orchestra
WBNS, Concert Orchestra
11:45—WKRC, Concert Orchestra
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WKRC, News, Sports

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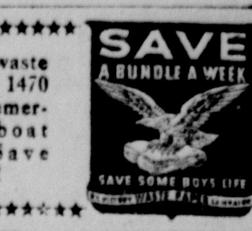


LEGAL NOTICE

Frederick A. Carlson, whose place of residence is unknown, is hereby notified that Ruth C. Carlson has filed her petition against him for divorce and custody of children, in Case No. 19790, of the Common Pleas Court of Fayette County, Ohio, and that said cause will be for hearing on or after March 25th, 1944.

CHARLES S. HIRE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

LEGAL NOTICE

Roy W. Smith, who resides at Galesburg, Illinois, will take notice that on the 1st. day of February, 1944, the plaintiff, David S. Craig, filed his petition against him in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette County, Ohio, the same being Cause No. 19786 in said Court, for the recovery of an estate in certain real estate in the petition described, to-wit: Being the store room known as No. 143, North Main Street in the City of Washington, Fayette County, Ohio.

The prayer is for the possession of said real estate.

Said defendant is required to answer said petition on the 1st. day of April 1944 or judgment will be taken against him.

DAVID S. CRAIG,
Plaintiff.

Joseph H. Harper,
Attorney.

PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at auction on my farm, 3 miles north of Sabina, 8 miles south of Milledgeville, on State Route 729,

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1944

Starting at 12:30, the following property:

2 HORSES

1 bay gelding, 1700 lbs., 6 years old, good worker; 1 extra good sorrel saddle mare, 8 years old.

7 CATTLE

1 white face heifer, freshen soon; 1 Jersey heifer, freshen soon; 1 Ayrshire heifer, 9 months old; 1 Poll heifer, 5 months old; 1 white face calf, 7 months old; 1 Jersey bull; 1 year old; 1 red bull, 1 year old.

19 SHEEP

18 ewes, 2 to 4 years old, lamb in March; 1 Shropshire buck, 1 year old.

HOGS

3 brood sows, farrow in April; 1 male hog.

GRAIN

200 bushels corn in crib.

CHICKENS

30 White Rock pullets, laying.

IMPLEMENTS

Two 1-row cultivators; 1 McCormick corn planter; 2 hog feeders; 3 hog boxes; 1 sled; one 1-horse wagon; harness, collars, bridles, etc.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

1 dining room suite, table, six chairs, buffet; 1 heating stove; extra chairs, dishes, etc.

RAYMOND SHELEY

Auctioneer—Col. Carl Taylor.

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH By Billy DeBeck

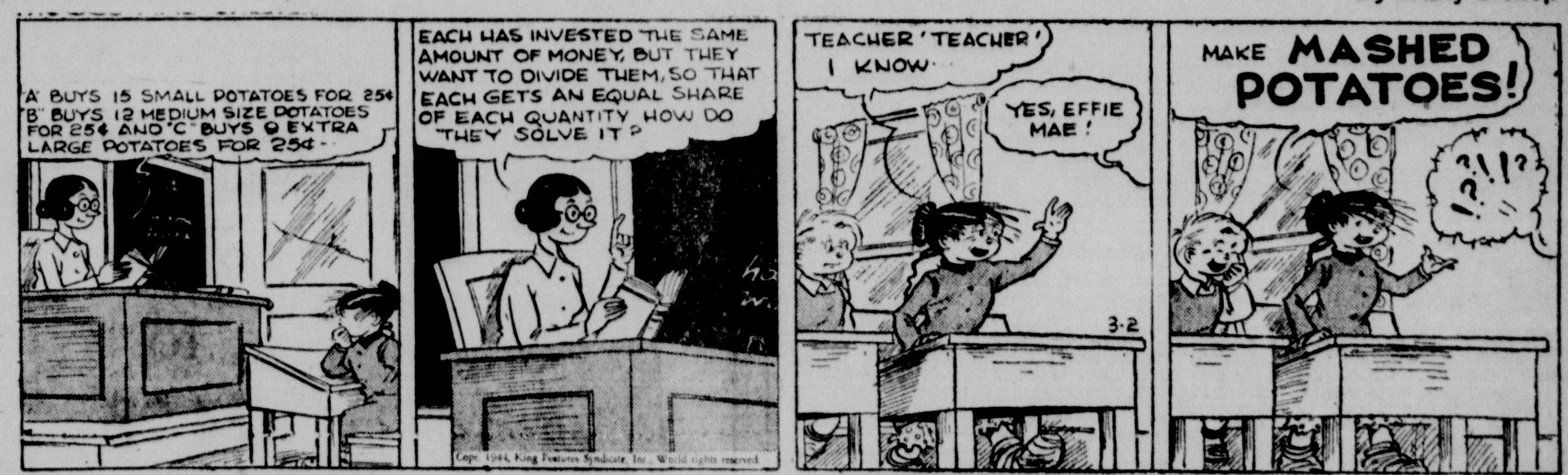
ETTA KETT By Paul Robinson

DONALD DUCK By Walt Disney

BRICK BRADFORD By William Ritt and Clarence Gray

POPEYE

MUGGS McGINNIS By Wally Bishop



LITTLE ANNIE ROONIE By BRANDON WALSH

REVIEWING OF DEFERMENTS TO START AT ONCE

'Particular Attention' To Those Under 26 Asked by President

The draft board here will "start immediately" on President Roosevelt's weekend order to review all deferments. Coming from Col. C. W. Goble, state selective service head, the directive calls for "reexamination of all registrants classified 2-A, 2-B, 2-C and 3-C, with particular attention to those under 26 years of age." Roosevelt statement said that agriculture and industry should release the younger men for military service.

The memorandum from the President at selective service headquarters here now reads:

"The crucial campaigns of this year will determine both the length of this war and its price in men and goods. We are well equipped in food and munitions but their production has drawn over heavily on our stock of manpower. It is time to strike a new balance.

"The armed forces have continuously adjusted their requirements to the minimum necessary to implement strategic plans. Initial estimates have been reduced by over half a million men. Recently the Army has had to withdraw the great majority of men who were receiving instruction in colleges. The present allocations of personnel to the armed forces cannot be further reduced and there is a very real danger in our failure to supply trained replacements at the time and in the numbers required.

"Selective Service has not delivered the quantity of men who were expected. The shortage which commenced to develop last September reached a total of 200,000 on December 31. This means that today we are still short approximately 200,000 trained men, although the actual personnel shortage in the army has been reduced to 150,000.

"Today as a result we are forced to emasculate college courses and trained divisions and other units. The Army will not reach its planned January strength until sometime in April or even later if Selective Service continues to fall behind on its quotas. The nation's manpower pool has been dangerously depleted by liberal deferments and I am convinced that in this respect we have been overly lenient particularly with regard to the younger men.

"The over-age men, the physically disqualified, the returned soldier, and the women of the nation must be used more effectively to replace the able-bodied men in critical industry and agriculture. Almost five million men have been deferred for occupational reasons. Deferments for industry include over a million non-fathers of whom 380,000 are under 26 years of age. Of almost a million non-fathers deferred in agriculture, over 550,000 are under 26.

"Agriculture and industry should release the younger men who are physically qualified for military service. The present situation is so grave that I feel that the time has come to review all occupational deferments with a view to speedily making available the personnel required by the armed forces."

JUDGE CORE TO TALK AT EBER P.-T. A. MEET

Two Dances Slated for Potluck Supper Session

Probate Judge Otis B. Core will be the featured speaker when the Eber PTA meets Friday night for a potluck supper. The meeting begins at 7:30 P. M.

Phyllis Pittenger is scheduled to do a military tap dance, sing "Yankee Doodle" and an intricate rhythm dance with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Rex Pittenger. Patty Miller will do a blue hula.

Mrs. Glen Grimm is program chairman for the meeting. Mrs. Eva Clark is in charge of the dining room.

GARRY LEE McCARTY IS CALLED BY DEATH

Little Garry Lee McCarty, three months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Burl McCarty died at the home of his parents on the Leesburg road, early Thursday morning, after a short illness.

Besides his mother and father he is survived by two brothers, Kenneth Dale and Kermit Gale and one sister, Vivian Lois. His grandfather, Fred McCarty, resides in Greenup, Ky.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock in Lynchburg Friday afternoon and burial will be in Lynchburg under the direction of the Cox and Parrett Funeral Home.

The Air Service Command of the Army Air Forces operates 300 warehouses and stocks 500,000 different items.

County Courts

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Reason J. Annon, 33, trailer driver, city and Winifred Leach, 25, city.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The Washington Lumber Co., to Wanda Roe Sheppard, lot 51, Rhoseview.

Wallace P. Noon, et. al., to Harry P. Wood, lot 260, Millwood.

Thurman B. Hays to Bessie M. Young, lots 563—566, Stevens addition.

Nellie M. Bower to Theresa Shaffer, guardian, 60.12 acres, Madison township.

Charles E. Pinkerton to Mary Gales, lots 181 and 182, Rosemont addition.

O. L. Melvin, et. al., to Conrad A. Ward, 58 acres, Fayette and Ross counties.

Edwin P. Suntheimer, et. al., to Rosalyn Wilson, half of lot 138, Rawlings addition.

Ruby Fountain to Wayne Finley, et. al., lot in Good Hope.

Jacob Moomaw, et. al., to William J. Fent, et. al., 79.40 acres, Marion township.

Emelene B. Sollars, et. al., to Harry Fent, 67.56 acres, Concord township.

FUGITIVE CONVICT IS ARRESTED HERE

To Be Returned To the London Prison Farm

Charles Woolum, whom Chief Jess Ellis said had escaped from the London Prison Farm, was picked up by the police, Wednesday night, at Stone's grill, and is being held for officers from the penitentiary.

Woolum was serving a one to 20 year sentence for auto theft, according to Chief Ellis.

Officers from the institution were expected to come after him sometime Thursday.

Danville News

Killed in action—how these three words strike terror to our hearts. We are unlike the war lords of our enemy nations, for they do not seem to care for human life. But every true American is grieved over every boy killed in the service. If the news comes our loved ones are missing in action, there is still hope. We can pray and trust, for the news that they are safe. But when these terrible words come, killed in action, all hope is gone, and the nation mourns, with the brave mothers who stood so courageously by while their sons left for combat duty.

While there is not much we can say to those who have lost a loved one in the service, we can say it grieves our hearts also. We cannot express our feelings on this subject, for our sympathy goes too deep for words. We are praying earnestly for all the boys in the service that they will return safely and soon to those they love.

Personals

Mrs. Alice Van Dyke and son, David, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lambert and family near South Solon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood, of Circleville, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barker.

Elmer Wilson, of Dayton, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova McBrayer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Alspaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lambert and sons spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Van Dyke.

Mary Ann Johnston has been ill for a few days.

Laura Wright is spending this week in Columbus.

Misses Nellie and Laura Wright and Messrs. Harl, Glenn and George Wright spent Sunday afternoon with relatives near Mt. Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Clofas Barker and family spent Sunday afternoon with relatives at Mt. Sterling.

The sickness which has been so prevalent in our little village and community is much better and the children are able to return to school.

Dorothy Van Dyke visited Sunday with friends near Mt. Sterling.

Connie Peters has returned home after a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anthony.

OCCASIONALLY CONSTIPATED?

A Trial Today --- A Happier Tomorrow

If you are subject to such temporary attacks of constipation, why not let TONJON No. 1 and No. 2 do its good work for you? You will be surprised at its mild but effective action, and you are bound to feel better and peppier when the intestinal tract is freed from the troublesome waste which causes the distress. A trial today — a happier tomorrow.

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CAUTION: Use only as directed.
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ANOTHER AUTO STOLEN IN CITY

Seventh Car Stolen and Later Returned

Police are still looking for one or more persons wanted for a series of automobile thefts in this city during recent weeks, and someone is facing serious consequences as result of their crimes.

Wednesday night a car owned by Richard Croker, East Paint Street, was stolen around 8 P. M., from its parking place at the curb and about 11 P. M. was found abandoned within a square or two of where it had been stolen. Seven to eight gallons of gas had been used by the thieves during their joy ride.

It was the seventh automobile stolen recently, and later found abandoned near the place where it was stolen.

Most of the autos have been stolen from the northeastern part of the city within a few squares of the high school building.

MRS. FRANCES BUTCHER GIVEN FINAL TRIBUTES

Funeral services for Mrs. Frances M. Butcher were held at the late residence in Bloomingburg at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon under the direction of Rev. Arthur George, pastor of the Gregg Street Christian Church.

The pastor read scripture, offered prayer and delivered the sermon.

Mrs. Arthur George sang three hymns "Saved By Grace," "Sometime You'll Understand," and "Does Jesus Care?"

The funeral was largely attended by friends and relatives and the many floral tributes were cared for by Mrs. Marjorie Whitmar and Miss Leona Butcher.

Burial was made in the family lot in the Hidy cemetery.

Pallbearers were Leo, Merrill, Loren and Norval Butcher, Jr.

To Die Soon

LOUIS (LEPKE) BUCHALTER, New York gangster, above, and four other men are scheduled to die in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison, Ossining, N. Y., Thursday, March 2, in the greatest mass execution in 23 years. Buchalter, Emanuel Weiss and Louis Capone are to die for the murder of a Brooklyn, N. Y., shopkeeper. Vincent Sallami and Joseph Palmer are to die for the slaying of a detective. Attorneys for Buchalter are seeking a postponement of the execution. *(International)*

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STEEN'S

THE OLD HOME TOWN — By STANLEY

FAYETTE COUNTY BOYS IN SERVICE

Aviation Cadet Winfield L. McKinney has returned to Maxwell Field, Ala., after being here with his parents and wife on leave.

Mrs. Dwight Coffman has received word that her husband, Pfc. Dwight Coffman, has arrived safely somewhere in England. In a recent letter to her he stated: "The next time the Red Cross comes around give them a couple of dollars for me. They're doing a swell job over here"

POET'S CORNER

"THE FATAL BOND DRIVE"

Hark, and I'll tell you a story,
A famous story of Old Glory,
All the many years she's spent,
Waving in a land's defense,
Stars endorsed with compliments,
Of bonds bought long ago.

High she waved o'er grounds of victory,
Ne'er a thought was contradictory,
Of her station as the best,
Knowing she would stand the test,
Let the people tell the rest,
And bonds bought long ago.

Hear, and I'll tell you a blessing,
While your dollars you're caressing,
You may increase them 10 percent,
Money now is only lent,
Peace must come, don't say it can't,
From bonds bought in '44.

Fix your eyes upon tomorrow,
Then there'll be no more such sorrow,
Pray for boys gone far-away,
BUY BONDS NOW, buy today,
There'll be a fatal drive they say,
From BONDS bought in '44.

—Wilma Radcliffe.

EIGHTEEN DEGREES IS RECORDED HERE

At an early hour Thursday morning the mercury stood at 18 above zero in this city, after a maximum of 31 degrees was reached Wednesday afternoon.

At 8 A. M. Thursday the reading was 21 degrees, or 4 below the lowest point recorded Wednesday. Forty-six and 11 were the extremes a year ago.

VFW WOMEN GIVE $10 TO CANTEEN

Tentative Plans Made for Rummage Sale Soon

VFW Auxiliary wants to have a hand in the Lions Club Canteen too—and Thursday a $10 check was mailed to the Lions Club from the women's group.

The VFW women voted to send the money at their Wednesday night meeting in Memorial Hall. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Mabel Whitmer.

Tentative plans for a rummage sale also were made at the meeting. No definite date was set for the sale.

NOW LIEUTENANT COLONEL

HILLSBORO — Mrs. R. O. Davies has received word that her son, Walter N. Davies has been promoted from Major to Lieutenant Colonel.

FEBRUARY RAIN ABOVE NORMAL IN COMMUNITY

Precipitation Reaches Over Four Inches During The Month

February recipitation over this area reached a total of over four inches, according to the monthly summary compiled by U. S. Weather Observer, Chalmer Burns.

His report showed 3.18 inches of rainfall with 4.50 inches of snow, or somewhat over four inches of water during the month, compared with a normal of 2.74 inches in February.

On February 22 the rainfall was .95 inch and on the following day it reached .83 of an inch, the two rains being the heaviest in recent months.

Several fogs and some windy days were recorded during February.

The mean temperature for the month was 35.5 or somewhat higher than the normal of 32 degrees.

The mean maximum was 46 degrees and mean minimum 25.4 degrees. The above normal temperature was due to a series of exceptionally warm days for February.

March certainly did not "come in like a Lion," for there was no storm, although the temperature was well down in the 20's during the early morning, and the air was cold throughout the day.

SOLDIER ARRESTED FOLLOWING DISORDER

Oney Russell, soldier, Lancaster, said to be AWOL, was taken into custody at Stone's Grill Wednesday night by the police, following trouble in which he was involved, and will be turned over to the military authorities, Captain Jess Ellis said.

HELD FOR THEFT

CHILLICOTHE — Edward Moore, 21, Hanging Rock, and Everett McCormick, Ironton, held for auto theft, have confessed to stealing a taxi.

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CORN FLAKES, Red & White .... box 8c

FOR LENT!
CANNED SALMON
(Pink and White)
MACKEREL and TUNA FISH

RED KIDNEY BEANS .... No. 2 can 14c
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CORN, solid pack .... 2 No. 2 cans 25c
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PARD DOG FOOD .... 2 cans 22c

SWEETHEART SOAP SPECIAL!
3 Cakes 23c
1 Cake 1c
4 Cakes 24c

Plenty of - - - - -
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COFFEE, Early Riser .... lb. 25c
Red & White SAL SODA .... 2½ lb. box 9c
Red & White CORN STARCH .... lb. box 8c
LAUNDRY BLEACH .... qt. bot. 10c

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A FRESH AND COMPLETE LINE OF - - - LEAF LETTUCE, HEAD LETTUCE, CARROTS, CABBAGE, RADISHES, SWEET POTATOES, PASCAL CELERY, TURNIPS, PARSNIPS, GREEN MANGOES.

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LEAN BOILING BEEF .... lb. 24c
PRIME RIB STEAK .... lb. 38c
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SLICED FRESH SIDE .... lb. 33c
Country Style BULK SAUSAGE .... lb. 38c
Lean - Meaty NECK BONES .... 3 lbs. 25c
BEEF BRAINS .... lb. 15c
DRIED BEEF .... ¼ lb. 20c
SPARE RIBS .... lb. 24c
Fresh Sliced PORK LIVER .... lb. 21c
PICKLED PIGS FEET .... lb. 17c
BACON ENDS, sliced .... 2 lbs. 46c
SALT OCEAN HERRING .... 2 lbs. 39c
Salt Cured CHUNK BACON .... lb. 19c

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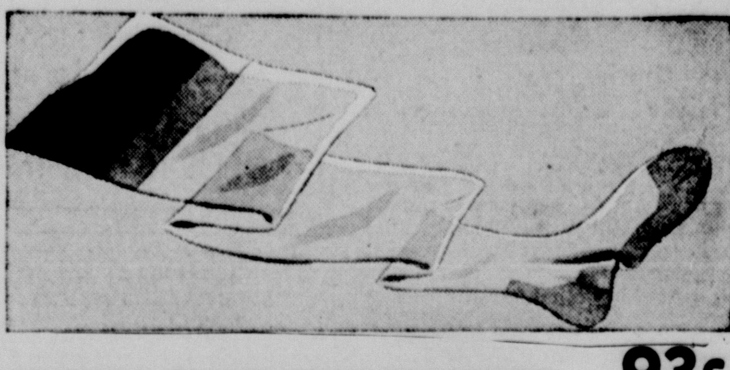

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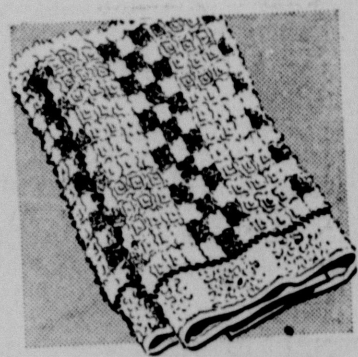

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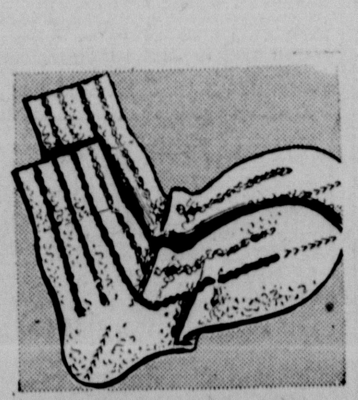

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